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ANDERSON ACCLAIMED 6 COUNCIL CANDIDATES

ROBERT ANDERSON

DOUGLAS BENSLEY

FRED BRANDT

MAURICE FAULKNER

ED KLOMPMAKER

ARTHUR MacCONNELL

MAURICE MONTGOMERY

ROBERT HATTON

D. W. RODGERS

BY ROY LEWIS

(News-Argus Reporter)

The battle is on for the four seats on village council and Stirling voters, who go to the polls on Monday will have a choice of six candidates.

Those who were nominated at Monday evening's nomination meeting at the community hall and who will run in the election are incumbents Maurice Faulkner and Fred Brandt and newcomers Arthur MacConnell, Douglas Bensley, Ed Klompmaker and Maurice Montgomery.

Robert Anderson, currently deputy-reeve, won the position of reeve through acclamation. Incumbent D. W. Rodgers, the only other nominee, declined.

The public utilities commissioners, through acclamation, are Robert Hatton and D. W. Rodgers. A long time commissioner Harold C. Bird, declined the nomination.

In a speech, Reeve Rodgers mentioned some of the changes in the village since he had assumed the office of reeve in 1965.

One of the major projects of the council, which was undertaken in 1965 and 1966 was the renovations, with the assistance of government grants, of the Stirling arena.

There has been $90,000 spent in sewer extension programs and a planned $150,000 to $200,000 for further extensions," added Reeve Rodgers.

Another project which I worked for was the rebuilding of the Stirling-Foxboro highway," he said.

Another project undertaken while Reeve Rodgers was in office was an official plan for Stirling. Stirling is the only community in Hastings county, besides Trenton and Belleville, which has an official plan.

Commenting on future growth in the community, Reeve Rodgers said that the Ontario housing unit for senior citizens, soon to be built on Church St., will aid the growth of the village.

"The formation of two nursing homes," he said, "have played an important role in the growth of our community."

Mr. Rodgers mentioned the establishment of a liquor store in the village. The store has attracted a great deal of tourist business to Stirling, he said.

Although the organization had nothing to do with local government, Reeve Rodgers gave high praise to the recognition the Trent Valley Jamboree has brought to the village.

In his closing remarks, he spoke of the change that is coming in our area. Stirling will become a part of the Quinte area which will include Trenton, Belleville, Frankford, Thurlow and Sidney.

This new area will have problems with water, which will have to be pumped in from Lake Ontario. Other problems will be sewage and garbage disposal and building inspection.

Reeve Rodgers predicted that before very long a new municipality comprised of Frankford, Stirling, and Thurlow and Sidney townships will be formed.

Local automony can only be brought about by strong local government, he said, and we need a restructure of local government for the change there is going to be."

In his remarks, Reeve-elect Anderson, gave a brief summary of the receipts and expenses at the Stirling cemetery for the last year.

In closing he said, "for the next two years I will represent the village of Stirling as faithfully as I have on council for the last 10 years."

In a brief report, Councillor Maurice Faulkner told of various improvements made by council through the past year. These were the completion of a new kitchen in the community hall, repairs to the furnace in the community hall, an addition to the town garage and repairs to the wall of the fire hall.

In his report, Councillor Claude Trumble said that the village will receive 50 trees which will be planted in various locations of the village in the spring.

Councillor Fred Brandt said that council hopes to install new seats at the ball diamond in the coming year.

Also attending the nomination meeting on Monday night were the three candidates (Frank Follwell, Raymond Rowe, and Don Williams) for Ward 6 of the Hastings County School Board. Ward 6 includes Frankford, Stirling and Sidney township.

In his remarks, newcomer Frank Follwell said: "I am very alarmed about the tax rate and the cost of education."

He mentioned that the farmers may go on a taxpayers strike, not because they do not wish to pay taxes but because they feel the assessment of land instead of buildings is not fair.

Mr. Follwell, a former member of the township school board, said "I am running because I believe it (Ward 6) does need a new face and a new voice in our county board."

He expressed concerned about the apparent use of drugs in schools, the location of busing and why the high school could not have been left in Stirling.

Incumbent Raymond Rowe said that the aim of the new board of education has been to provide the maximum development of the potential of each individual student and for the equality of education.

Mr. Rowe, who was a member of the Frankford Public School Board and who served 8 years on the Bay of Quinte District High School board, gave a brief outline of costs for education in the last year. The board spent approximately $18 million to operate Hasting County schools. There are more than 24,000 students attending schools in the county.

Mr. Rowe announced plans for a new high school which will be built in the Stirling-Foxboro area. This new school will accommodate students from Foxboro, Stirling, Thurlow, and West Huntingdon. New additions are also in the planning stages for Stirling Public Schools.

If society wishes to provide these services the taxpayer must pay for them," he said.

Incumbent Donald Williams, of Stirling, said that the new system of education has brought challange, opportunity and problems over the last two years.

He had high praise for the director of education, Eric Runacres.

"I feel that the salary that we are paying this man is justified," said Mr. Wil-

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CIRCLE FOR A CHEER

Members of the cheerleading squad at Stirling Public School are all ready to lead the cheers of support and encouragement for the school's various teams when they enter competitions. Above are Chris Myers (sitting behind the squad's mascot at the top of the picture) and the others, going clockwise are Joan Mofina, Valerie Clancy, Marilyn Morton, Judy Meeks, Cathy Tyrrell, Evelyn Generaux, Denise Aide, Penny Petherick and Susan Ray. Photo by Roy Lewis

Hastings county 4-H awards presented

Approximately 400 parents, friends, award donors, leaders and 4-H members attended the Hastings County Annual 4-H Awards program in the Centre Hastings Secondary School in Madoc on Friday, November 27 at 8 p.m.

Miss Dianne Gunning of Tweed, Ontario Dairy Princess, was Valedictorian and major award winner for 1970. During her membership in 4-H, Dianne has completed 35 projects with better than 80 per cent proficiency. She has also had the honor of being the outstanding 4-H Agricultural Club girl member from 1966 to 1970.

Among the many awards received by Dianne was a special award presented by Mrs. Clarke T. Rollins who congratulated Dianne on being chosen Ontario Dairy Princess, as well as her outstanding achievements in 4-H.

The following awards were won by Dianne:

Maple Dale Co-Operative Award, Hastings County Warden's Shield, Kiwanis Club of Quinte Award, Hastings County Soil & Crop Improvement Award (potato), Hastings County Soil & Crop Improvement Award (Horticulture), Candian Imperial Bank of Commerce, Warden's Livestock Judging Trophy, Hog Producer's Association Trophy, Junior Farmer Beef Cattle Trophy, Warden's Potato Club Award, Candian Imperial Bank of Commerce Rose Bowl, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce Award (Pen & Pencil).

The following are 4-H awards won by 4-H members in the Stirling area:

Douglas Murray, Box 85, Stirling, Bank of Montreal, Stirling; Kenneth Sharp, Stirling R.R. 3, MacKenzie Feeds Limited; Rodney Graff, Stirling, R.R. 3, Stirling Dairy (Cooney Bros.); Kenneth Sharp, Stirling, R.R. 3 and Keith McConnell, Stirling R.R. 3, Ted's Tack Show Award.

Skating registrations next Monday

Arrangements have again been made to have skating for pre-school age children on Mondays between 3 and 4 p.m. and for other girls on Mondays between 4 and 5 p.m.

Registration will be held next Monday starting at 3 p.m. and the same fee of $1.00 per skater will be charged.

Mrs. Eleanor Bailey, Mrs. Marlene Bailey and Mrs. L. Riseley have volunteered to assist with the registration and Mrs. Lee Ann Bryant will again instruct the children on the ice.

Other interested mothers who can assist in the registration or who could skate with the learners are urged to attend at the arena.

Parents, Please note: If skates are expected from Santa Claus, your child may wear any skates available now or may register to start classes in January. Don't spoil a surprise for two skating sessions.

HOCKEY REGISTRATION

Final registration for Bantam House League Hockey will be held this coming Saturday, December 5 at 11:00 a. m. Games begin at 1:00 p.m.

Chamber meeting

Graham Mouck, president of the Stirling Chamber of Commerce, has announced that an "important meeting" will be held at Hum's Restaurant at 10 a.m. tomorrow (Thursday). All local businessmen are urged to attend this coffee meeting.

Turkey bingo next Tuesday

The Stirling Rotary Club will conduct its annual Turkey Bingo on Tuesday evening, December 9 at Stirling Theatre. Bingo will get under way at 8 p.m. Tickets will sell for 25 cents or five for $1. Three door prizes ($25, $15 and $10 value) will be awarded to lucky holders of advance tickets.

K-K-K-KATY did it

The Christmas spirit was already in evidence at Senior Citizens last Thursday. That nice girl, Kate Donohoe, from River Valley, donated several decks of cards for our pleasure, one of our veteran members, John Holmes furnished the lunch and we were also happy to welcome his sister, Annie Holmes. The one and only Jack Senior presented a lighted birthday cake to his wife, Tilly Senior, and was she ever surprised!

Plans for the turkey dinner on December 10 are well under way, and Ferleth Wetherall is hoping to bring her Tot Singers to us on Dec. 17. They will give a Christmas message in song.

They say Ross Hoard has nails in the foot of his bed all ready to hang his stockings on. This year it is reported that he is hoping to get a wig.

Murn Stapley, one of our faithful members and an expert at clock repair, last week had a cuckoo clock backfire on him. The cuckoo now backs out and asks "what time is it?"

Joint Account Trouble

He: "Dear, you must be more careful. The last cheque you wrote was returned to us from the bank manager."

She: "Darling, wasn't that nice of him. What will we buy with it now?"

dis ole Scribe.

Elaine will export big order of shoes

After lengthy negotiations the Management of Elaine Footwear is happy to report, that a substantial pairage of shoes has been sold to a large firm in the U.S.

In view of the fact that during the current year upwards of 60 million pairs of footwear will have been imported into this country from various sources namely: Italy, Spain, France, England, Czechoslvakia, Taiwan, Japan, China, Germany and the U.S. just to name the main competitors, we consider it an achievement that our firm has been able to compete with the manufacturers of footwear from all these countries.

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In the meantime we are negotiation with another firm in the U.S. to sell similar types of shoes. Initial samples have been submitted for the new season and indication point to a successful acceptance of our products.

At this time the Management of the Company wishes to acknowledge the efforts of the people involved who made this deal possible, namely: the designers, Doug Bensley (Dacu), John Feitt, Paul Cazenave, the production personal, Miro Tretina, Edna Bedell, Andy Clapperton (Clappertonsky), Bob Reynolds and and all the workers on the California process line, plus the home workers responsible for hand lacing.

The Secretary Treasurer of the Company, Ken McGaughen (Kensky), and the office staff have been most helpful in figuring out the various aspects of the "red tape" in connection with export regulations.

We believe that the best way to combat the imports of footwear into this country is by "Exports".

"Since this Company is presently overbooked with orders for the Spring season of 1971, I would like to appeal to all the Employees of the Company to do their utmost to fullfil our obligations to our customers. The Company presently employs 215 people including homeworkers and we hope that this figure increases as our export market develops," said owner John Svoboda.

Presentation party held

On Wednesday afternoon November 25th, a group of neighbors, relatives and members of River Valley Womens Institute gathered at the home of Mrs. Ross Holland who has moved from the valley and taken up residence in an apartment in the village.

The relatives included her two sisters, Miss Olive Ashe and Mrs. E. Yates, Madoc and her daughter Mrs. Iris McCurdy.

George Heasman was master of ceremonies for a short program when selections were read by Miss Alice Heasman, Mrs. Ross Bush and Mrs. Ernest Carr. An appreciative address was read by Mrs. Roy Bush and Laura was presented with a pole lamp, two step up tables and a Christmas Centrepiece with tall red candles.

Mrs. Harold Bush and Mrs. Percy Craighead assisted with the presentation. The recipient voiced gracious thanks and the committee in charge served refreshments.

John Reynolds named new Marmora reeve

MARMORA – The reeve and council of this village for 1971 were acclaimed at a nomination meeting here last week – ruling out the need for a local council election.

Acclaimed as reeve was veteran councillor John Reynolds, succeeding William Shannon, who retired this week after 19 years on council – 14 of them as reeve.

Acclaimed to council were incuments Grant Airhart, Albert Gray and William Monk, and newcomer Kenneth Trumble.

Villagers, however, will be asked to vote for two public utilities commissioners.

Three men have qualified for election – incumbents Robert Maynes and Ralph Neal and challenger Floyd Loveless.

Bonarlaw

(Mrs. Arthur Burkitt)

Mrs. Herb. White attended the funeral of her mother in Winnipeg.

Mrs. Wm. Neal and Mrs. Gerry Ackers and baby visited friends at Vancouver for the past week.

The Women's Institute held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Geo. Williams, Mr. Hector Arnold was the guest speaker, Mrs. Arnold also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Heath, Delhi, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jones have moved to their new home at Bonarlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan McComb of Sidney have purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jones at Springbrook and have taken up residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McLellan and family, Ottawa, spent the weekend at their summer home in Bonarlaw.

RIVER VALLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

December 3rd-Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. George Grills.

Next card party January 8th, 1971.

STIRLING HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Look over Dahlia Tubers that are in storage and if decay has begun, cut out the bad spots and sprinkle the cuts with sulphur.

New Laws Will Affect Snowmobilers this Winter

From the time that first snowflake falls, and doesn't melt, thousands of Ontario residents start getting ready for the snowmobiling season.

If you're a snowmobiling enthusiast, there are some new laws you should brush up on before heading out this winter.

The scope of the laws regarding snowmobiling are outlined in a comprehensive new pamphlet now available from Department of Transport. "Motorized Snow Vehicles in Ontario" is a compact guide to the operation of your machine. The Motorized Snow Vehicles Act is also free upon request from the Highway Safety Branch, Ontario Department of Transport, Ferguson Block, Queen's Park, Toronto 182.

Here are some of the new laws you should know about in brief:

- Snowmobilers must now report any collisions on or off the highway which involve personal injury or damage exceeding $200 to property other than that of the owner or driver.
- The driver of a snowmobile must hold a driver's licence to take his machine on highways where snowmobile operation is permitted.
- The owner of a snowmobile is to be held responsible for any infractions committed by persons using his machine . . . . this owner responsibility is in addition to that of the operator.

Try to avoid driving your snowmobile on roads where the snow is hard-packed, icy, or where the roadway is dry and handling is difficult.

PERSONALS

James Bryant of Stirling has returned home after undergoing surgery at Peterborough Civic Hospital last month.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holden celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary on Tuesday. On Sunday evening the family Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burgess of Whitby, Elgin Holden and Lori Holden, Cheryl, Iva and Dale, Charlene Berttrem and Evan Rodgers entertained Harold and Della to dinner at Havelock Hotel and also presented them with a full setting of crystal.

Mrs. Chas. Conley Old Marmora Rd., suffered a fracture of her shoulder in a fall at her home Wednesday afternoon.

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Please arrange to have your completed application form reach your County office of the Ontario Department of Agriculture & Food by December 15, 1970.

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And where they all must go.
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Most of Rawdon know this fellow,
Other townships too.
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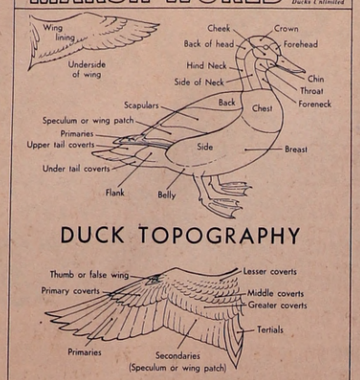

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ANDERSON ACCLAIMED REEVE

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liams, because with his knowledge he has saved us as much as $1 million at a single time in government grants.

In regard to teachers' salaries he said the Hastings board is paying similar wages to those in other counties in this area.

It has cost the taxpayers of Stirling less this year for education than last year said Mr. Williams. However, he did say that the rates may rise slightly for next year.

Mr. Williams said that the Hastings board was the first one in Ontario to settle both elementary and secondary school teacher contracts.

"This indicates the excellent relationships that we have between the school board and the teachers," said Mr. Williams.

CAT NIPPED

One bobcat that didn't get away was a 25 lb. female, shot by Wally Hoard, RR 3 Stirling. Wally shot the cat early last Thursday afternoon in a swamp on the Hoard farm. He was accompanied by Ed Anderson.

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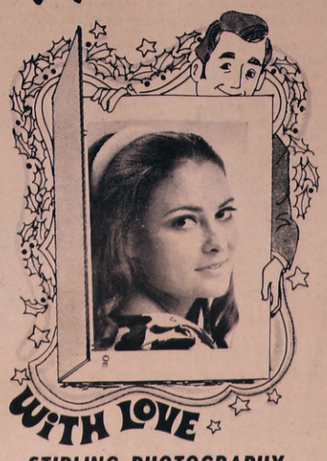

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BY: WILLIAM J. MARTIN

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Have you finished your Christmas shopping yet? You haven't started, you say. Well, that puts you with the majority of holiday shoppers, but it could cost you some money, too.

You've probably been advised to shop early many times, and I'm about to tell you again. It can save you a lot of money as well as time and effort.

As with any spending program, you must start with a plan for maximum efficiency. Most people have good intentions of getting organized and shopping early, but somehow always seem to end up frantically running all over town trying to complete their gift buying in a few days. Because they are rather desperate to buy something, they often buy almost anything and don't think much about the cost until the bills come later.

The time to correct that annual mistake is right now. Don't put it off another day.

Do you have a gift list? Do you even know how many people you are going to buy for? Sit down and get that list going. Write down the names of all you want to buy gifts for and then list the total amount of money you have to spend on all the gifts, leaving enough for the usual holiday entertaining.

Now split the money up among all those names and fit the gift into the budget you have – and stick to it. Then begin your shopping immediately while merchandise stocks are high and crowds are somewhat lighter than they are during the week before Christmas. This way you'll have a little time to shop around and not just grab the first thing you see.

You can still please all the people on your list and save money because you planned ahead. The big difference comes after the holidays if you charged most of your purchases. Wouldn't it be nice not to start the new year in debt?

Card party

On Friday evening, November 27th River Valley Womens Institute sponsored their fourth card party at the Centre with 12 tables in play.

The Historical Research group were in charge and provided the refreshments. Eighteen guests were in attendance from Stirling, Stockdale, Foxboro and Mount Pleasant.

The prizes for first and second were Ladies: Mrs. Lloyd Dafoe with 83 points and Mrs. John Morgan. Men: Claude Tucker and John Kane. The next party will be in January 1971.

Rebekah Lodge holds meeting

The regular meeting of Laurel Rebekah Lodge No. 211 was held in the I.O.O.F. Temple Stirling, on November 24, 1970 with the Noble Grand, Sister Kathleen McMullen presiding. A warm welcome was extended to a large number of members also to Sis. Roberta Clay PNG from Fillmore, Sask. sho is visiting in Stirling. Sis. Mae Clarke presented Sis. Anne McInroy PNG who was welcomed by the Noble Grand and received as a Member of Laurel Lodge. Sis. Madeline Walker, Vice Grand, reported that all sick members had been remembered with cards and gifts.

Sis. Eileen Woodcox, Jr. PNG reported on the birthday party and thanked all who helped in any way in the preparations. It was a highlight in the history of Laurel Lodge and will long be remembered. A vote of thanks was extended to Sis. Eileen and her committee for their efforts.

The next meeting will be a pot luck supper at 7 p.m. Each member is asked to bring her own dishes and cutlery. Entertainment? – come – see – and enjoy! After the close of the meeting, the members retired to the banquet hall and enjoyed doughnuts and coffee. Sister Marjory Stapley moved a vote of thanks to Sis. Kathleen McMullen NG and her committee.

Springbrook

(Mrs. Malcolm Mason)

Mrs. Lloyd Sedore, Kim and Kevin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers at Codrington on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Anderson, Campbellford, and Mrs. Fred McKeown were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reid on Friday.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Barton were Mrs. George Ingram, Mrs. Fred Grills and Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Barton, Campbellford.

Paul Leonard of the Military Police Detachment, Petawawa, is spending a few days at his home here.

Misses Isabel and Jean Preston, Peterborough, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Preston on Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Rollins, Belleville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Mumby on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Les McKeown and Robin, Marmora, visited Mrs. Fred McKeown on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown, Campbellford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Barton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sine and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holden spent Saturday in Peterborough and on returning home at nine o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Holden were given a surprise twenth-fifth wedding anniversary reception when their beautifully decorated home was filled with relatives and neighbours. Their groomsman, Orval Holden; bridesmaid Miss Jayne Gay; soloist Mrs. Ed. Colden, were present.

Community singing was enjoyed with violin accompaniment by Mrs. Ken Lang. The bride and groom of 25 years then unwrapped wheir many gifts from their families and an electric clock from the neighbors. Harold and Della suitably replied, expressing their thanks and appreciation to their families and neighbors for their many and most attractive gifts.

Their daughter, Marlene, Mrs. Joe Forestell and Mrs. George Sine served refreshments which included anniversary and wedding cake. Several pictures were taken during the evening.

CARD PARTY

A card party sponsored by Tanner L.O.L. was held Friday night with eight tables in play. The winners were: Ladies' high, Mrs. Roy Shortt; ladies' second, Mrs. Mabel Ray; men's high, Roger York; men's second, Archie Wickens; door prize, Mrs. Lorne Bailey.

Following cards, lunch was served.

PERSONALS

Miss Jane Clements of Lively spent Saturday at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Dort and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hunter of Ohio spent four days last week with Mrs. Marguerite Keller and Bill.

St. Thomas A. C. W. held a quilting at the home of Mrs. John Courtney on Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Jean and Isabel Preston of Peterborough were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Courtney on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Wright and family of Georgetown and Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell and family of Elmira were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Ostrander.

Mrs. Ethel Anderson of Campbellford, Mrs. Leighton Webber and Mrs. Homira Anderson of St. Catharines spent Monday afternoon with Mac Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Giannini and family of Sudbury and Mrs. Edith Edwards and Janice of Stirling were tea hour guests of Miss Edna Tanner, Clare and George on Saturday.

Mrs. Sara Morgan of Belleville and Mr. and Mrs. William West of Stirling spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Loucks of Trent Bridge visited Mrs. Marguerite Keller Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Clements attended the Shriners' Ball held in the Royal York Hotel in Toronto on Friday night and Ralph attended the convention on Saturday.

Mrs. Yvonne Bradbury and Kelly spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Waters.

Mrs. Roger Greigg of Belleville spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Colden.

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DAY-IN, DAY-OUT PRICE
ASSORTED FLAVOURS Jelly Powder NABOB 3-OZ. PKG. 7¢

DAY-IN, DAY-OUT PRICES
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CLARK TOMATO SOUP 3 10-OZ. TIN 29¢
MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE 1-LB. BAG 91¢
IGA CHOICE PEAS 14 OZ. TIN 17¢

DAY-IN, DAY-OUT PRICES
CLARK'S VEGETABLE SOUP 10-OZ. TIN 12¢
CHICKEN NOODLE LIPTON SOUP MIX PKG. OF 2 22¢
MUFF 'N JEFF DOG FOOD BEEF CHUNKS, LIVER, CHICKEN OR HORSEMEAT 15-OZ. TIN 21¢
HEINZ OR GERBERS (ALL VARIETIES) BABY FOOD MEATS EXCEPTED 4¼ OZ. JAR 13¢
CARNATION INSTANT MILK POWDER 3-LB. BOX $1.15
CARNATION EVAPORATED MILK TALL TIN 16¢
RASPBERRY OR STRAWBERRY MRS. LUKES JAM WITH PECTIN 24-OZ. JAR 43¢
KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES 16-OZ. PKG. 38¢
ROYAL GUEST (IT'S FRESHER) COFFEE WHOLE BEAN 1-LB. BAG 85¢
MFG. 25c OFF LABEL HERSHEY INSTANT CHOCOLATE 2-LB. TIN 67¢
IGA BEANS with PORK 2 14-OZ. TINS 35¢
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IGA CHOICE-PURE APPLE JUICE 48-OZ. TIN 29¢
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Exercise your franchise

As this is being written, it appears that Stirling residents will have a choice of council candidates when they go to the polls next Monday. This is a healthy sign.

While acclamations occur through no fault of the nominees, they do indicate an apathy on the part of ratepayers. A choice of candidates should always be available to the electorate, if democracy is to thrive.

With elections certain for all Stirling area school board wards and probably for village council, there ought to be a lively interest in voting.

Responsible citizens will feel it their duty to mark their ballots next Monday for the candidates they desire to handle the affairs of the village and the Hastings County Board of Education.

May we at this time extend best wishes to Robert Anderson, acclaimed reeve of the village when Reeve D. W. Rodgers decided not to seek re-election. With 10 years' experience on council, he should be well-prepared to take over the reins of Stirling's government.

A word of thanks also is well-deserved by retiring reeve, Don Rodgers, who has contributed a great deal toward the betterment of Stirling during his six years in the reeve's chair. His performance on county council and in other area organizations had added to the stature of the municipality he proudly represented – Stirling.

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FOR ACTIVE PARTICIPATION
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Cheese Changes

The cheese industry still is significant to the Hastings County economy, the Central Ontario Cheese Makers' Association was told last week.

Despite many changes, the county still is deeply involved in the dairy industry, said agricultural representative Douglas Tipper.

Most dramatic of those changes has probably been in the cheese industry itself.

In 1900 there were 100 factories making Canadian cheddar cheese in the county. Today there are 12.

But "this has not diminished the interest and involvement in the production of Canadian cheddar cheese," he said. "It's a very vital part of our county economy and has to be treated as such."

But the industry itself has changed – with business management emerging into a new and important role, distinct from that of the cheesemaker.

"No longer can one man be expected to do everything for the factory as a whole," said Mr. Tipper. "There's a real need for increased aggressive business management. . ."

Mr. Tipper also stressed the importance of promotion for the industry with such events like the British Empire Dairy Show – the annual cheese exhibit which is held in conjunction with the cheesemakers' convention in Belleville.

All cheese factories should support the show since it's a "golden chance" to gain publicity at little cost, said Mr. Tipper.

Pot luck supper at St. Andrew's

A social evening at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Sunday, Nov. 29, began with a pot-luck supper. The tables were laden with sumptuous foods to the pleasure of about 70 persons. Roy Taylor extended a warm welcome to everyone and offered "Grace."

Following the meal, Mr. Taylor led a sing-song, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Taylor.

An interesting feature of the evening was the showing of pictures by Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh, which they had taken on a holiday trip to Europe this past summer. They left Canada from Montreal, travelled through Ireland, England, Wales, Scotland, Holland, Italy, Switzerland and France. Land formations, building structures, roads, vehicles, decorative landscaping and animals stood out to each one in their vast difference to similar things in this country. Mrs. McIntosh gave comments on the pictures as they were shown, drawing attention to things which seemed fascinating to them, in reality.

Clayton Tummon extended thanks to Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh and Mrs. Ken Ray presented them with a gift for their efforts towards the evening's entertainment.

Mr. Taylor voiced his appreciation to the ladies who had prepared the supper, also to Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh.

Huntingdon Council All Set

IVANHOE – Reeve Russell Sills, the deputy-reeve and all three councillors for Huntingdon township have been elected by acclamation.

The only change from last year's council will be John Wulte, field officer for the Moira River Conservation Authority, who takes the place of George Wood who stepped up to become deputy - reeve following the resignation of Kenneth Holland.

The two other councillors are Harold Thompson and Francis Thompson.

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TOWNSHIP OF SIDNEY
MUNICIPAL AND SCHHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS
NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to the Municipal Act a poll will be opened on Saturday the fifth day of December 1970 from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. (Standard Tim). The Polling Place for the Municipality of the Township of Sidney will be located at the Municipal Building, Wallbridge-Loyalist Road for the purpose of receiving the votes of voters who expect to be absent from the Municipality on the day fixed for polling.
Dated at R.R. 2, Belleville this 25th day of November, 1970.
J. B. Harder
Returning Officer.

Go visiting this Sunday...

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 3
AS YOUR ELECTED REPRESENTATIVE ON THE HASTINGS COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD, FOR THE PAST 2 YEARS, I THANK YOU FOR YOUR PAST SUPPORT, YOUR RECOMMENDATIONS, AND YOUR COMPLAINTS. THESE ALL HAVE HELPED ME TO PRESENT YOUR IDEAS TO THE BOARD MEETINGS.
I AM ALLOWING MY NAME TO APPEAR ON THE BALLOT ON ELECTION DAY, AS A CANDIDATE FOR A SECOND TWO-YEAR TERM. I SOLICIT YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT – BOTH AS AN ELECTOR AND AMONG YOUR NEIGHBORS.
AT ALL TIMES I HAVE PRESENTED YOUR NEEDS TO THE COUNTY BOARD AND IF ELECTED SHALL ENDEAVOUR TO CONTINUE TO DO SO.
THANK YOU
JAMES SPRY.

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CAMPBELLFORD SANTA PARADE, SATURDAY, DEC. 5, 1 P.M.

Bethel UCW

On Nov. 26, the Bethel United Church Women met at the home of Mrs. J. Pollock. An opening thought was given by Mrs. Holden, followed by prayer. With Mrs. Cox as pianist, the hymn "Fight the Good Fight" was sung. The roll call was answered by 25 members with a verse containing the word "Faith". There were several visitors and children present.

The minutes of the October meeting were read and approved. Mrs. J. Carlisle was appointed to the nominating committee to replace Mrs. G. Clancy. A donation is to be sent to Five Oaks, also a bale of clothing to be packed for a Mission. Each member is requested to donate 50 cents for the purchase of Christmas parcels, instead of a gift exchange at the December meeting. This will be held at the home of Mrs. Ketchen on Dec. 10.

Mrs. Russell was in charge of the worship service with the theme "Prepare Ye The Way of The Lord." "Hark the Glad Sound" was the hymn sung, followed by prayer. Mrs. J. Thompson read the scripture taken from Matthew, Chap. 25. "The Meaning of Advent" was the topic of the meditation given by Mrs. Russett. With Mrs. Cox as accompanist, Mrs. J. Pollock sang as a solo the hymn "Christ is Coming". The offering was received and dedicated and the worship service closed with a hymn and prayer.

Mrs. T. Clements led in Bible study under the topic "Growing Through Giving."

Several passages of scripture were read by Mrs. G. Sine, Mrs. E. Sine, Miss Ray, Mrs. Ketchen and Mrs. Wickens. Know thyself and be humble: the Lord loveth a cheerful giver. Mrs. J. Carlisle gave a reading, "Faith is Belief."

Mrs. Russett thanked the hostess and all those who had taken part in the meeting and closed with the benediction.

Re-elect

GORDON WILMAN

FOR DEPUTY-REEVE of Sidney Township

–7 YEARS' MUNICIPAL EXPERIENCE
–2 YEARS, ON COUNTY COUNCIL
–2 YEARS, TOWNSHIP LIBRARY BOARD
–4 YEARS, COMMUNITY CENTRE BOARD
–1 YEAR, COUNTY EMO COMMITTEE
–2 YEARS, HASTINGS COUNTY PLANNING COMMITTEE
–1 YEAR, SOCIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE

MEMBER OF WESTMINSTER UNITED CHURCH

FOR EXPERIENCE AND STABILITY

VOTE GORDON WILMAN

RE-ELECT

FRED BRANDT

HAVING BEEN YOUR COUNCILLOR FOR THE PAST YEAR I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT ON DEC. 7.

For cars, Phone 395-2405

VOTE FRED BRANDT

RE-ELECT

RAYMOND ROWE

AS YOUR REPRESENTATIVE IN WARD 6

CONSISTING OF THE VILLAGES OF FRANKFORD, STIRLING, AND SIDNEY TWP.

VOTE RAYMOND ROWE for experience

SERVED ON

- FRANKFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD FOR 3 YRS.
- DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL BOARD FOR 8 YRS.
- AS CHAIRMAN OF THIS BOARD 1 YR.
- HASTINGS COUNTY BOARD 2 YRS.
- AS VICE - CHAIRMAN 1 YR.
- BUSINESS EXPERIENCE OPERATED ROWE'S FURNITURE AND FUNERAL SERVICE 25 YRS.
- PROMOTING CONTINUOUS PROGRESS AND EQUALITY OF EDUCATION IN HASTINGS COUNTY

TWO TO BE ELECTED FOR WARD 6

VOTE RAYMOND ROWE

Stirling area couple 'adopt' Ecuador boy

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Slavin and family, RR 4, Stirling, have adopted thirteen year old Gabriel Lazo of Ecuador.

By contributing $17 a month through Foster Parents Plan of Canada. The Slavin Family give the child and the family material and financial aid aimed at strengthening the family unit by helping each member. The child is symbolic of aid given to the entire family.

Before the Slavin family became Gabriel's foster parents, the family struggled to survive on an income of $60.00 per month. This was earned by Gabriel's father as a market guard. Their diet consists on mainly rice and beans with the occasional fresh meat or fish and milk. The family live in a small shabby cane shanty with wooden floors and zinc roof, divided into two small rooms and a lean-to type kitchen in back.

The Slavin Family's contribution of $17 a month brings the family a monthly cash grant, distribution of goods such as vitamins, blankets, towels, soap and other useful items, medical and dental care, the sustained guidance and counseling of social workers and the benefit of special programs. A strong emphasis is placed on education. All foster children (and their brothers and sisters if possible) must attend school. Vocational training courses given or supported by PLAN in some countries are available to foster children, their brothers and sisters and in some cases, their parents. The aim is to give each member of the family the tools to help themselves become independent and self supporting. Special programs adapted to the needs of each country also meet these aims.

In Ecuador, for example, PLAN social workers have special guidance and counselling sessions for adolescents to help them deal with adjustment problems.

Foster parents and foster children correspond monthly

(letters are translated by PLAN) and often develop warm and affectionate relationships which mean as much to the child as the material and financial aid.

Foster Parents Plan is currently working in ten countries in South America and Asia. Over 53,000 children are currently being aided by individuals, groups and families in the U.S., Canada and Australia. For more information on this non-profit, non-sectarian, non-political independent organization, write Foster Parents Plan of Canada, 153 St. Clair Avenue West, Toronto 7, Ontario.

Teen bowling

Nov. 27 – This week was "I Beat My Average" week for all Y.B.C. members in the league. The following were winners: Tim Beith, Roger West, Sharon Rombough, Charles Loucks, Wayne Mayell, Fred Smith, Paul Jones, Paul Turpin, Debbie Montgomery, Dan Beith and Linda Wood.

This week, Sue Wright captured the high single, double and average of 223, 380 and 185 respectively, while in the boy's division, Tim Beith again took the top three with a single of 329, double of 502 and an average of 222.

In the standings, the H.P.A.'s were 3 to 2 winners over The Team and the Hi-Lo's took all 5 from the J. C. Reruns.

POINTS

Hi-Lo's	37
H.P.A.'s	32
J.C. Reruns	16
The Team	25

MAURICE "MO"

MONTGOMERY

WILL GO FARTHER TO MEET THE INTEREST OF THE PEOPLE OF STIRLING

VOTE MONTGOMERY

ON DEC. 7

FOR TRANSPORTATION CALL: 395-2319

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 3

VOTE FOR THE CANDIDATE WITH THE EXPERIENCE AND KNOWLEDGE OF EDUCATIONAL AFFAIRS

Mark Your Ballot

GORDON BENNETT X

FOR BETTER REPRESENTATION ON THE HASTINGS COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Horticultural Society meets

The Stirling Horticultural Society held a meeting in the hall of the Presbyterian church Monday afternoon with 44 present, including visitors from Springbrook, Foxboro and Chatterton.

The meeting opened with Mrs. Armstrong presiding and all repeating the Lord's Prayer.

Secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Hubble, presented their reports.

Mrs. Hubble gave the dates of June 17 and 18 for the provincial Horticultural Societies meet in Windsor.

The nominating committee will be responsible for bringing in a list of officers for 1971 at the January meeting. They are Mrs. Maurice Clancy, Mrs. Harry Motrow and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett.

Mrs. Armstrong decided to be responsible for the January meeting and place of meeting will be announced later.

The program consisted of making and explaining how Christmas decorations can be made. Those showing their ability in handicrafts were Mrs. Raymond McConnell, Mrs. M. Clancy, Mrs. F. Armstrong, Miss Holmes, Mrs. R. Rose and Mrs. M. Lavender of Marmora.

Lunch was served by Mrs. M. Wrightman, Mrs. M. Barlow and Mrs. David Hollinger.

ENERGETIC BOWLING

Oct. 27: In Group 'A', Lois Gibson bowled high single, 323 and high triple, 743. Lenora West holds the high average, 198.

In Group 'B', Grace Tanner had high single, 246 and high triple, 546.

Other good games: Elsie O'Brien, 277; Irene Hogle, 268; Hilda Rose, 260; Lenora West, 252; Lois Gibson, 229; Pat Harris, 213, 216; Shirley Whiteman, 208.

Standings

Naomi's Go-Go's, 46; Verna's Barbie Dolls, 35; Lenora's Happy Mixers, 30; Irene's Teasers, 29.

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ELECT

ART MacCONNELL

BORN, RAISED & EDUCATED IN STIRLING, ART IS READY TO SERVE THE INTERESTS OF THE CITIZENS OF THE VILLAGE.

*Operates and owns a private business in Stirling.

*Family man with two children, one attending Stirling Public School.

*A prominent sportsman interested in treating our natural resources wisely.

*A member of Stirling Volunteer Firefighters.

*Serving on Board of Directors – Rotary Club.

*Serving on Official Board – United Church

*Past Director – Belleville Fish and Game Club.

*Past Secretary – United Church AOTS Club.

*Served two years on Stirling Recreation Council.

FOR COUNCIL

AWARE OF YOUR PROBLEMS

PUBLIC SCHOOL SUPPORTERS OF WARD 4

RE-ELECT

THE MAN OF EXPERIENCE

LAURASON GUNNING

FOR TRUSTEE

ON THE HASTINGS COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

(1) AS YOUR REPRESENTATIVE I WILL CONTINUE TO WORK FOR A SOUND EDUCATIONAL POLICY WHICH WILL OFFER EQUAL EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL STUDENTS IN HASTINGS COUNTY.

(2) I AM PREPARED TO WORK ON BEHALF OF THE TAXPAYERS AND TO CARRY THEIR WISHES TO THE BOARD.

(3) MY PAST EXPERIENCE IN SCHOOL MATTERS WILL BE A GREAT ASSET TO THE RATEPAYERS OF WARD 4.

(4) MY EXPERIENCE IS BASED ON FACTS NOT PROMISES.

THEREFORE, I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1970.

VOTE

GUNNING LAURASON X

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Single Parents Back Proposal

The Bell-Trent chapter 423 of the Parents Without Partners Association last week submitted a brief endorsing certain clauses contained in the White Paper on taxation to finance Minister Benson.

Endorsement of the proposal that would afford tax relief to working parents for such items as day car expenses and babysitting fees, came after careful study of the proposals.

Support for the premises outlined in the brief was offered by the Central Regional Council at their April, 1970 meeting held in London.

The five-page brief was written by Pat Merrill of Stirling, and for her efforts in this regard, she was presented with the Outstanding Service Award.

In a summary of their support, the Bell-Trent chapter states:

"We endorse the proposed deduction for child care expenses.

"Implementation of this proposal would or could affect over eight per cent of the families of Canada, possibly allowing some to enter the labor force, rather than relying on governmental assistance."

Parents Without Partners, an international organization founded in New York in 1957, including 500 chapters in continental North America, Australia and Britain, came to Canada in 1962.

Public school league bowling

On Saturday, November 28, each team won a game for two points and the Partridge Family and the Great Ones each got a point for total pinfall.

Points are: Alley Cats 31; Partridge Family 28; Great Ones 21 and Champions, 19.

BANTAM DIVISION

Dianna Barrie bowled games of 156 and 117 for girl's high single and high double of 273. Jo-Anne Valchar's 126 is high average.

Ricky Clements had games of 203, 119 for boy's high single, high double of 322 and high average of 153.

Other good games: Robby Clements, 169 and 133; Sherry Farrell, 150 and 106; Suzanne Jacket, 124 and 101; Cheryl McGee, 110 and 107; Jo-Anne Valchar, 130 and 106; Terry Arbuckle, 141 and 103 and Candy Blakeley, 114.

JUNIORS

Girl's high single, double and average – Pearl Hum, 138, 256 and 152.

Boy's high single and double, Terry McGee, 155 and 283; high average, Bill Seeley, 168.

Y. B. C. crests earned were Terry Arbuckle, 125 single; Dianna Barrie, 150 single; Robby Clements, 300 double and Wendy King, a Super Spare.

Merrie Bowlers

Linda Barron rolled high single of 258 and high triple of 600 in the Merrie Bowlers league.

Good games were bowled by Barb. Noble, 251, 202; Marg. Keating, 211; Ruby Tompkins, 205 and Dilly Montgomery, 202.

Free dinners donated by Colonel Saunders Kentucky Fried Chicken were given to the team "Daisies" with Linda Barron as captain and players Grace Donohoe, Lilian Arbuckle, Olive Miller and spare Nellie Smith. A draw was made for dinners with Ruth Glover and Marg. Keating the winners.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE
VILLAGE
OF STIRLING

FOR GOOD REPRESENTATION ON STIRLING COUNCIL
VOTE
EDWARD
KLOMPMAKER

- MEMBER OF STIRLING ROTARY CLUB
- CHAIRMAN, CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S COMMITTEE
- PARTNER IN STIRLING FOOD MARKET
- I AM VERY INTERESTED IN VILLAGE AFFAIRS

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A CHANCE?
LET ME REPRESENT YOU ON
STIRLING VILLAGE COUNCIL
VOTE

EDWARD
KLOMPMAKER X

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The Stirling Public Utilities Commission will give prizes of $25.00; $15.00 & $10.00 for the most effective and decorative residential Christmas lighting.

Judging will take place between Christmas and New Year's.

Let's go all out and make our community an attractive one.

ELECT
DOUG. BENSLEY
TO COUNCIL
FOR THE 1971-72 TERM
TO PROVIDE EXPERIENCE
AT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT LEVEL

BACKGROUND

–Resident and taxpayer of Stirling for the past 3 years.
–Presently serving as a member of the committee of adjustment.
–Employed by Elaine Footwear (Stirling) Ltd. in charge of Product Development and Research.
–married with 5 children, 4 of whom are living in Stirling.
–active member of the Canadian Legion Branch, Stirling.
–was formerly active in Lions International, Penetanguishene serving on various committees notably crippled childrens, community arena building project, etc. Also served as 2nd vice, 1st vice and president.
–was an executive member of the Canadian Legion, Penetanguishene.
–became involved in municipal government at Penetanguishene in 1961 and served the people of that community to the best of his ability for 5 years.
–served on Recreation council for six years.
–served as town representative on Penetanguishene Chamber of Commerce.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

–during his term as Public Works chairman, Penetanguishene was instrumental in spearheading the completion of the Water Polution Control Sanitary treatment Plant on schedule. This plant is unique inasmuch as it is owned and operated by the Town of Penetanguishene with assistance from the University of Toronto.
–The location of the new Secondary School for the Midland, Penetanguishene and District School Board was finally decided in favour of Penetanguishene upon completion of the water Pollution Control Plant on Schedule.
–as chairman of the Industrial Commission was responsible for initiating plans for the location of an Industrial Park.
Also promoted better relations with local industry.
–Promoted Concerts to provide funds for the Building Committee of Penetanguishene General Hospital and the Community Arena.
–Provided unbiased assessment of all of the facts before pronouncing judgement of all critical items coming before council.

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THE STIRLING NEWS-ARGUS, Wednesday, December 2, 1970 7

Licence plates now on sale

Ontario's 1971 license plates for passenger cars, dual purpose vehicles and motorcycles went on sale Tuesday, December 1, at 281 issuing offices across the province.

Registration fees are unchanged. For passenger cars and dual purpose vehicles having eight cylinders, the registration fee is $35.00; six cylinders $27.50; four cylinders $20.00; motorcycles $10.00.

The plates will be white on blue, the reverse of this year's colours. Deadline for having the new plates will be Saturday, February 27, when 1970 plates will expire. There will be no extension.

The total number of passenger cars to be registered in the three-month period before the deadline is estimated at more than 2,150,000. Department of Transport officials suggest that motorists can avoid inconvenience and delay by applying for plates in the first few weeks and thus avoid last minute line-ups.

In cases where the ownership of a used motor vehicle is being transferred at the time of registration, a certificate of mechanical fitness is required before new plates can be issued. No certificate is needed to renew an existing registration with no transfer involved. Used motor vehicles licensed previously in another province also require a certificate of mechanical fitness before they can be registered in Ontario and new plates issued.

1970 plates for trucks, buses and trailers will expire March 31, 1971.

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TOWNSHIP OF SIDNEY

NOTICE TO ELECTORS OF SIDNEY TOWNSHIP

Polls will be open at 10 a.m. and remain open until 8 p.m. on MONDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 1970, to elect for a two-year term a Reeve, a Deputy Reeve, three Councillors two trustees for Ward 6 to The Hastings County Board of Education, one trustee for Townships of Sidney and Marmora and Lake; and Villages of Frankford, Delora and Marmora area of the district combined Roman Catholic Separate School Board (elementary).

Polling Places are as follows:

1. AVONDALE–Residence of Hubert Lovelace
2. WESLEY Residence of Cameron Bunnett
3. BAYSYIDE Maxfield Trailer Park
4. QUINTE VIEW Residence of Mrs. Grace Reid
5. GLEN MILLER Glen Miller Hall
6. JOHNSTOWN Residence Winfield Harder
7. GILBERT -Westminster Church Hall
8. TOWN HALL Municipal Building
9. BATAWA Batawa Scout Building
10. SNIDER Residence Mrs. Jean Holden
11. GLEN ROSS -Fraser's Cottage
12. SOMERSET -Residence James Boughen (formerly Holland)
13. TURNER -Sidney Baptist Church Hall

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Returning Officer

Elaine employees union holds regular meeting

The regular November meeting of the Boot and Shoe Workers Union was held on the 23rd at the Masonic Hall, Local 754 president Roy Lake chaired the meeting with a full slate of officers present, except for one due to illness.

The minutes of the last meeting were accepted as read, along with the financial report.

Along with other correspondence read, there was an urgent appeal from the United Auto Workers Union of America for financial support in their efforts to negotiate a new contract with General Motors.

It was voted by the membership that a donation be sent to them at once.

The auditor's report was given and voted to be accepted. A report was given by Mr. Lake concerning five grievances that reached top management and were settled satisfactorily by both parties concerned. A brief discussion followed the report concerning the grievances and the settlements made for each one.

It was voted by the membership that honorariums for the vice-president and recording secretary be raised. Mr. Lake said that a list of members who are eligible for turkeys from the local would be prepared and that the turkeys would be ordered for those who had attended 10 out of 12 meetings during the past year. Last January, the local, in a bid for more attendance at the meetings, passed a motion to that effect.

A motion was passed that the local purchase a wreath to be laid next November 11 at the cenotaph to represent labour for Elaine.

Mr. Lake, along with Ken Scott, appealed to all members to try and co-operate with the company in order to meet delivery dates to customers ordering shoes, so that they may keep their business and orders in the future.

The local also voted that brief cases for the executive be purchased by the Union, if any were needed.

This year, the local could be setting a precedent as they have decided to sponsor a children's Christmas party on December 19 at the Masonic Hall from 2 to 4 p.m. in Stirling, for children of Elaine employees.

Wednesday Ladies Bowling

Nov. 25: Ivy Poste's Lucky 7 took 6 points from Joan Rankin's Dew Drops. Doreen Platford's Starlites took all 7 points from Gloria Switzer's Drop Outs.

Points to date: Drop Outs, 14; Lucky 7, 41; Starlites, 35; Dew Drops, 22.

Group 'A' (150 average and up): high single and average. Sylvia Edgar, 330, 192, High triple, Shirley Milligan, 704.

Group 'B' (149 average and under): high single and triple, 206 and 524, Marilyn Haggerty.

Other good games: Linda Moore, 192; Betty Hubble, 202; Joan Rankin, 192; Doreen Platford, 194; Iva Howard, 203; Shirley Milligan, 211, 224, 269; Jean Barrie, 218, 231.

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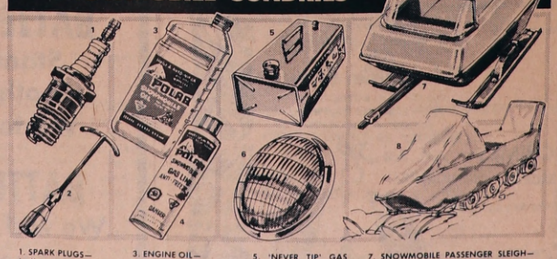

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Miss Annie Cook, Erin, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Omar Dracup and family. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dracup and Clare visited at the same home Tuesday evening when Miss Cook showed pictures of her Australian tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sharp and family were supper guests on Thursday with Mrs. Aleatha Douglas of Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnston of Trenton spent Saturday afternoon and were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Maybee of Toronto visited during the weekend with Mrs. Everett Maybee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Colby, Donna and Dennis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Goldie Little and family of Brampton.

Sorry to report that Mrs. Gerald Clancy is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

Wellman's Women's Institute held a card party in the hall on Saturday evening with nine tables in play.

Women's high, Myrtle Tanner; women's second, Delia Carliste; men's high, Howard Wallace; men's second, Charlie Johnston, Trenton; door prize, Jean Clancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Graham and Vicky of Belleville were supper guests Sunday of Mrs. Victor Graham and Eleanor.

Mrs. Keith Clancy is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

Men's Monday night league

Nov. 23 – Games over 225: Ralph Scea, 236; Al. Boersma, 251, 229; Wayne Roe, 280 (high average 225, high single 280); Ralph Park, 257; Bob Robertson, 274; John Reichert, 264; Terry Kovack, 235; Tom Kovack, 240; Gord Barrie, 227; Don McCrory, 272, 265, 245, high triple 782; Barrie Wilson, 275, 235; Tom Hudson, 242; Ron McCory, 232.

Wayne Roe has high average, 225 and high single, 280.

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- Chairman of the Information and Education Committee of the Lower Trent Conservation Area.
- Member of the Manpower and Employment Committee.
- Serving as Chairman for the Hastings County Homes for the aged committee.
- An active member of Belleville and Suburban Planning Board.
- Township of Sidney Industrial Representative having an active program to encourage industrial growth.
- Personally I am an active member of the United Church in Stirling having served as an Elder for 8 years.
- Supporter for minor sports in the area.
- Own and operate a general contractor business Riverside Construction.

Let's keep the wheels of Sidney Township Rolling, So On Dec. 7

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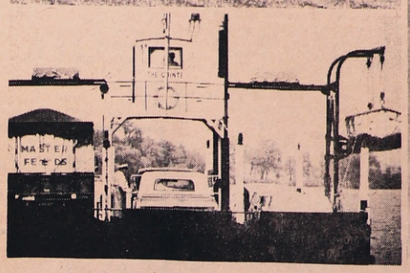

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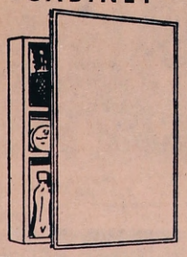

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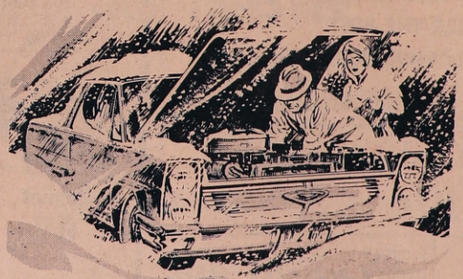

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CARD PARTIES will be held at Minto Community Centre on Thursday, Dec. 3 and Thursday, Dec. 17 at 8 p.m. Prizes and lunch. Admission 50¢. 46 1

NOTE Local 334, National Farmers Union, will hold its next meeting on Sat. eve., Dec. 5, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Williams. 46 1

ST. PAUL'S MEN'S CLUB ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DANCE at the former Stirling High School on Sat., Dec. 12, 9:00 p.m. to 12:00 p.m. Orchestra-Potter's of Warkworth. $4.00 per couple including refreshments. 45-2

CARDS OF THANKS

I WISH TO SAY THANK YOU to my friends, neighbors and relatives for flowers, cards, letters, calls and gifts that I received while in the Belleville Hospital and since my return. Joe and the children add their thanks for the baking and other acts of kindness shown them. Your concern and good wishes were sincerely appreciated. Margaret Thompson. 46-1

I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS thanks to friends, neighbors and relatives for the kindness and assistance given to me and my family during my illness and holiday. Marlene Bailey. 46-1

I WISH TO EXTEND A SINCERE thank you to my friends and neighbors who arranged the pleasant afternoon with me and to all those who helped in any way. The lovely gifts will always be honored and treasured in my home. Laura Holland. 46-1

CARD OF THANKS

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK all my friends, neighbors and relatives for cards, visits, phone calls while a patient in Shouldice Hospital and since returning home. Special thanks to LOL 509 for lovely box and special thanks to Ilean and Bif, Vic and Joan for transportation. Mr. J. York. 46-1

I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS my appreciation for cards and visits during my recent stay in Kingston General Hospital. Special thanks to my fellow workers at Stirling Creamery for the box of fruit. Lloyd King. 46-1

IN MEMORIAM

GRILLS-In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather Joseph R. Grills, who passed away one year ago today. Dec. 3rd, 1969.

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With farewells left unspoken,
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Your spirit did not bend,
You faced your pain with courage,
Until the very end.
Your memory is our keepsake,
With which we'll never part,
God has you in his keeping
We have you in our hearts.

Always remembered and sadly missed by son Ernest, daughter-in-law Annie and grandchildren Mary Anne and Catherine. 46-1

GRILLS-In loving memory of a beloved father and grandfather Joseph Richard who passed away December 3, 1969.

One year has passed since that sad day
When one we loved was called away,
God took him home it was His will,
Within our hearts he liveth still.

—Always remembered by son John, daughter-in-law Mildred and grandchildren. 45-1

GRILLS-In memory of Joseph Grills who passed away Dec. 3rd, 1969.

His memory is as dear today
As in the hour he passed away.

—Ever remembered by son, Garnet, daughter-in-law, Annis. 46-1

GRILLS-In loving memory of a dear Husband, Joseph R. Grills who passed away one year ago Dec. 3, 1969.

In memory a daily thought,
In heart, a silent sorrow.

—Always remembered by wife Retta, Stepsons, Jack and Shirley Wilson, George and Marie Wilson and families. 46-1

GRILLS-In memory of a dear grandfather and great grandfather, Joseph Grills, who passed away one year ago, Dec. 3rd.

His Christian spirit and kind heart
Will always be remembered.

—Ever remembered by George, Gayle, Chris and Scott. 46-1

HEATH-In loving memory of a dear wife and mother who passed away so sudden on Dec. 6, 1969.

Gone from this earth so swiftly
Just like a flower in bloom,
So young, so fair so loving
Yet called away so soon.
The evening star shines over the grave
Of the one we loved but couldn't save,
It's lonely here without you
We miss you more each day,
For life is not the same to us
Since you were called away.

—So sadly missed and always remembered by husband Murray and sons Lyle, John and Gerald. 46-1

IN MEMORIAM

SINE-In sad and living memory of a dear Mother and grandmother Minnie Cecilia, who passed away December 1, 1969.

God knew that she was suffering
That the hills were hard to climb.
So He closed her weary eyelids
And whispered "peace be thine."
Away in the beautiful hills of God
By the valley of rest so fair.
Some time, some day, we know not when
We will meet our loved one there.

—Lovingly remembered by daughter Mildred, son-in-law John and grandchildren. 46-1

SINE-In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Minnie Sine, who passed away Dec. 1, 1969.

Loving and kind in all her ways
Upright and just to the end of her days.
Sincere and true in her heart and mind
Beautiful memories she left behind.

—Never forgotten by son George daughter-in-law Marguerite and family. 46-1

DEATH NOTICE

BLAIR-Janet Kathleen at York-Finch Hospital, Toronto on Monday, Nov. 30, 1970. Janet Kathleen Lanigan, Toronto, formerly of Stirling, Ont. In her 73rd year. Beloved wife of the late James Arthur Blair and aunt of John Lanigan, RR 2, Stirling, Mrs. James B. Frederick (Mary Louise), Maidstone, England and Robert Lanigan, Rochester, N. Y. Mrs. Blair is resting at the Hogle Funeral Home, 87 James St., Stirling. Service Thursday at 1:30 p.m. Interment Stirling Cemetery.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF SUSAN ELIZABETH McKEOWN, late of the Village of Stirling, in the County of Hastings, Married Woman, deceased.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of the above named deceased, who died on or about the 31st day of August, 1970, are required to furnish proof to the undersigned on or before the 18th day of December, 1970. After the said date the Administrator will distribute the estate having regard only to claims of which notice has been received.

DATED at Belleville, this 16th day of November, 1970.
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Victoria & Grey Trust Building,
P.O. Drawer 700,
Belleville, Ontario.
Solicitors for the Administrator. 44-3

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

CREDITORS and others having claims against the Estate of FLORENCE MABEL SIMMONS, late of the Village of Stirling, in the County of Hastings, Widow, Deceased, who died at the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, on the 19th day of March, 1970, are notified to send to the undersigned Solicitors for Elizabeth Hester Christie and Annie Irene Pollock, the Executrices of her Estate before the 10th day of December, 1970 particulars of their claims in writing after which last date, they will distribute the Estate amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice, and they shall not be liable for any part of the Estate so distributed to any person of whose claim they had not notice at the time of such distributions.

DATED at Madoc, Ontario, this 16th day of November, 1970.
WHITE AND WHITE
Madoc, Ontario,
Solicitors for the Executrices. 44-3

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AUCTION SALE

THE ESTATE OF THE LATE AUSTIN FARR, west of Village of Trent River on County Rd. 42 on Wed., Dec. 9 at 1 p.m. Terms—Cash. No Reserve. Ray and Roy Williams, auctioneers, Campbellford, Phone 653-2043 or 653-3533. 46-1

AUCTION SALE

THE ESTATE OF THE LATE MRS. LAURA E. HAWKEN 135 Elmore Street, Campbellford, Wednesday, Dec. 2 at 1 p.m. Terms—Cash. No Reserve. Ray and Roy Williams, auctioneers, Campbellford, Phone 653-2043 or 653-3533. 46-1

AUCTION SALE

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1:30 p.m. — Sunday School
SPRINGBROOK:
10:00 a.m. — Worship Service
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
BETHEL: 11:15 a.m. — Worship Service
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School

GRACE CHAPEL
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Worship Service
7:30 p.m. — Gospel Service
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Mount Pleasant

(by Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

We extend birthday greetings to Frank Hutchinson who will observe his 80th birthday on Friday, December 4th.

Mrs. Percy MacMullen attended a party on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Ross Holland who is now residing in Stirling.

Mrs. Leonard Sharpe spent last week with her daughter Mrs. Jim Milne and Mr. Milne at Oshawa.

William Gibson, cheesemaster at Central Factory, won several prizes for his cheese last week at the Empire Dairy Show in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray White, Bannockburn, spent Thursday with the White family, fourth concession.

Miss Betty Rollo, Winnipeg, Manitoba, is holidaying with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McAdam recently visited the Milk Marketing Board in Toronto and attended the Winter Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bonter, Willowdale, spent a few days with their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hubble, and they attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Florence M. Meyers at Trenton on Saturday.

Misses Barbara and Mary Summers of Ottawa spent the weekend with their grandmother Mrs. Cyrus Summers and attended the Messenger Christmas party.

Manse Donaldson, Foxboro, drilled a well at the the north of the church hall last week and now there is a good supply of water.

MESSENGERS

The Messenger group held their Christmas meeting on Saturday evening, November 28th at the church hall with approximately 75 adults and children in attendance.

The hall was decorated with a lighted evergreen tree, red candles, poinsettas and various Christmas symbols. The leaders, Mrs. Raymond McConnell and Mrs. Stanley Williams, were in charge.

Jill McAdam presided and also provided quiet piano music as a prelude, and welcomed the group. The sing song was in charge of Miss Brenda Williams and Mrs. Garth Joslin.

Selections were read by Debbie David, Dean Graff, Brian Huble, Kathy Sharpe and Terry Bailey.

Piano music was contributed by Suzette Morgan, Jill McAdam, Lynn Joslin and Jo Anne Campbell. Gary Couch furnished accordion music.

Isobel Hoard and Linda Hoard sang and Kenneth Hoard and Donnie Hubel gave recitations. Vocal selections were given by Janey Talsma and Lynn Joslin. The roll call was given by Kathy Sharpe. The offering was gathered by Jennifer Joslin and Kenneth Hoard and dedicated.

A short skit was given by Gail Merrick and Kim Graff and a group of children gave a Santa Claus playette.

In the business period the children decided to donate part of their card money to Care and some to the Plainfield Retarded children.

Games were conducted by Ian and Brian Hubel.

At the close all of the children were presented with gifts and treats and several of the ladies served refreshments which was followed by a social hour.

Youth bowling tournaments

During the month of November, there were two Youth Bowling Council tournaments.

First was the Doubles Championship in which each bowler had a partner in his or her own age group. Partners were determined by a draw. The partners with the highest total pinfall, including their handicaps, were declared winners.

Bantam girls – Suzanne Jacket and Cheryl McGee, 770.

Bantam boys – Paul Scea and Ricky Clements, 807.

Junior boys – Bill Seeley and Steve Benson, 876. These bowlers each received an attractive crest.

The second tournament was the "I Beat My Average" one in which each bowler was to beat his average in the first league game bowled on a given date. Those receiving this crest are Terry Arbuckle, Dianna Barrie, Sandra Barrie, Candy Blakeley, Robby Clements, Sherry Farrell, Suzanne Jacket, Terry McGee, Kim Philp, Mary Reid and Jo-Anne Valchar.

Thursday night mixed league

High single, Verna Tucker with 276. High triple and average, Sylvia Edgar with 677 and 192.

Men's high single, triple and average, Ralph Park with 282, 696 and 212.

The B.P.'s were winners over the Westenders by 5 points to 2. The Selects were winners over the Idlers by 4 points to 3.

Season Standings

B.P.'s	40
Idlers	35
Selects	40
Westenders	25

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Mon., December 7th

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I have worked for the concept of Equal Opportunity of Education for all students in the County of Hastings. I have tried to serve all areas of Ward 6 (Sidney Township, Frankford and Stirling) showing no favouritism to any one area or group and I have worked hard to see that the Board got good value for every tax dollar spent. This I will continue to do.

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395-3321 ACTION CLASSIFIED ADS

Santa arrives Saturday

Jolly Old St. Nick will make his annual pre-Christmas visit to Stirling this Saturday afternoon.

Through the good offices of the Stirling Chamber of Commerce, arrangements have been made with the North Pole to have Santa arrive in downtown Stirling at about 2:30 p.m.

Santa will make his appearance at a special workshop to be set up at the centre footbridge, under the direction of the Stirling PL Building Centre.

Children and adults alike are invited to meet Santa, and make known their special requests for gifts to be delivered Christmas Eve. Santa has promised there'll be candy for all the children this Saturday.

Another special treat lined up for Saturday is free skating for youngsters at Stirling arena, between 2 and 3 p.m.

So, all roads lead to Stirling this Saturday. Santa will be looking for you.

At 87, he eats 6 eggs a day

The Senior Citizens were happy to welcome Mrs. Fred Grey of Roslin as a guest last Thursday. Murn Stapley or nearby Holloway knew that he would be 87 years old on December 9, but he did not know that the bananas he brought for lunch were for his own birthday. He said "Don't be afraid of clogging your arteries by eating eggs, for I eat six every day and have for some years." How about that, Dr. Pete?

Mina Smith and Helen Reid treated us to doughnuts and cheese and served a big birthday cake in honor of Murn's birthday.

Now, kids, shake a leg and be out for our pre-Christmas dinner at 12:30 on December 10 (that's this week). Bring your own eating tools, including cup and plate. Especially your upper and lower ones.

If you have forgotten what food to bring, check with Lil Heasman. George says she knows all about that and a lot of other things, too.

Our hats are off to Mrs. Chester Stapley for the nice donation of cash she so kindly gave us. Mr. and Mrs. Stapley live in Woodbridge now, but are former citizens.

No Trouble

In a gay mood, Mary Cook telephoned George McMullen at two o'clock in the morning. "I do hope I haven't disturbed you" she said cheerily. "Oh no", George replied, "I had to get up to answer the phone anyway."

dis ole Scribe.

Maurice Faulkner defeated as 3 newcomers are elected

MAURICE MONTGOMERY

ED KLOMPMAKER

DOUGLAS BENSLEY

FRED BRANDT

MORE THAN SIXTY PER CENT TURNOUT AT STIRLING POLLS

Three newcomers were elected to the municipal council of the Village of Stirling Monday. Elected were Maurice Montgomery, Edward Klompmaker and Douglas Bensley.

Also elected were Fred Brandt, who served on the immediate past village council. Defeated were incumbent Maurice Faulkner and newcomer Arthur MacConnell.

The three polls, open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., saw a turnout of more than 60 per cent of the eligible voters. Figures for the poll returns are as follows:

	Poll No. 1	Poll No. 2	Poll No. 3	TOTAL
BENSLEY	107	86	104	297
BRANDT	121	100	100	321
FAULKNER	106	89	95	290
KLOMPMAKER	154	84	125	363
MacCONNELL	112	67	103	282
MONTGOMERY	165	129	141	435
SPOILED	0	0	2	2
ELIGIBLE	387	298	336	1021
VOTED	232	181	206	619

The results of the three polls for Hastings County Board of Education members for Ward 6 were:

	Poll No. 1	Poll No. 2	Poll No. 3	TOTAL
FRANK FOLLWELL	97	67	63	227
RAYMOND ROWE	67	81	63	211
DON WILLIAMS	188	153	146	481

There were two positions available for Ward 6, which includes Frankford, Stirling and Sidney Township.

The Council of the Village of Stirling for the term 1971-72 will be Reeve Robert Anderson, acclaimed following the village nomination meeting on November 30, and councillors Fred Brandt, Maurice Montgomery, Douglas Bensley and Edward Klompmaker.

The Public Utilities Commissioners, acclaimed to office are Robert Hatton and D. W. Rodgers.

A STUDY OF FOSSILS

The Grade 7 Science Club at Stirling Senior School have been engaged in the study of fossils in rocks they have collected. Here, Linda Turpin, left, and Dianne Poole apply a coat of shellac to preserve the surface of the rock and thereby protect the fossil shape.

Photo by Roy Lewis

Police dog nabs escapee in Eighth Concession, Rawdon

An escaped convict from Collins Bay Pentitentiary was captured Sunday night on a lonely strip of the Eight Concession of Rawdon Township.

Eric Wayne Perrin, serving 28 months for burglarly, surrendered to police after running into the bush for about 100 yards. He gave up quietly after hearing a police dog in pursuit.

For Sabre, the police tracker dog, it was his first assignment since graduating from training school last Friday.

Perrin escaped from Collins Bay penitentiary at about 8 p.m. Sunday. He fled after kicking out a window in the prison's farm annex.

A short time later, Sgt. Robert Murray, a soldier stationed at Kingston, drove up to an apartment house with a girl friend.

A man holding what appeared to be a knife pulled the woman from the car and drove off with the soldier. Later, it was discovered Perrin had been armed with a screwdriver.

The car was spotted by provincial police near Marysville and was followed along Highway 2 into Belleville. The chase continued through Belleville streets and to Highway 401.

At Highway 33, the car turned north and headed along the Trent River to Stirling, then along the Stirling-Campbellford Road, over a number of country roads and eventually to the Eighth of Rawdon. At about 11 p.m., the meandering ended when the car suddenly halted and Perrin fled into bush bordering the road.

Sabre, who had been in one of the cruisers, was unleased and immediately picked up the trail of the fugitive.

Don Williams re-elected to county board

No new faces will join the 14 member Hastings County board of education for its second two-year term.

In Ward 6, comprised of the villages of Stirling and Frankford and the township of Sidney, Raymond Rowe of Frankford topped the polls with 1,456 votes. Close behind was the second elected member, Donald R. Williams of Stirling, with 1,420. Defeated was Frank Follwell who chalked up 1,209 votes.

In Ward 3 (Marmora, Madoc, Deloro, Elzevir, Grimsthorpe, Rawdon, Marmora-Lake) James Spry picked up 1,393 votes to recapture the one available position. He defeated Gordon Bennett who received 775 votes.

In Ward 4 (Tweed, Hungerford, Huntingdon, Deseronto, Tyendinaga), Laurison Gunning received 1,198 votes for re-election to the single seat available. Losers were Bruce Portt, 1,005 and S. C. Geneja, 251.

DONALD WILLIAMS

RAYMOND ROWE

Shamrock factory to be sold by tender

The Shamrock cheese factory, one of the oldest factories of its type in the Stirling area, is being offered for sale.

Glenn Bush, R.R. 4 Stirling, president of Shamrock Cheese Manufacturing Co operative, will receive tenders up until Dec. 15.

The sale will include land, building, equipment, a quota of 6,224,973 lbs. of milk, all as a going concern.

Mrs. George Carlisle, R. R. 3 Stirling, secretary treasurer of the co operative, said the organization decided recently to offer the factory for sale rather than lay out a considerable amount of money which would be required to carry on.

Shamrock cheese factory has been operating since about 1890. About seven years ago, the factory began operating every second day during the winter months, in addition to the normal every day summer operation.

The factory was taken over by a co-operative about four years ago, with 28 members buying in. During 1969, the factory produced 500,000 lbs. of cheese.

The factory has three employees.

Mrs. Carlisle said the co-operative hopes to sell the the business to someone who will keep the factory operating.

It is located on Highway 33, in the southwest corner of the village of Stirling.

Course for farmers will be offered

Quinte area farmers will have an opportunity of taking part in an agricultural course in the first part of 1971. The course being offered is designed to meet the needs of producers who generally fall in the category between marginal and highly productive commercial units. The opportunity comes in an eight-week course called Management of the Farm Business. Canada Manpower sponsor the course. It will be operated under the Retraining Division of Loyalist College, the Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food assists with the course development and some of the instruction.

The course will be open to farm operators whose income fall in the middle group, with a suggested gross of at least $7,000.00. Training allowances will be provided for those who are accepted on the course. These allowances are intended to provide extra income to cover costs such as hiring other labour that might be necessary while the applicant is involved in the course.

The 1971 course will begin January 25th and will continue for an eight weeks period. Classes will be held at Loyalist College, running from 5 p.m. to 11 p.m. Mondays to Fridays. The course will cover the necessary basic production topics but the emphasis will be on the management of the various parts of farm business. Depending on the students and their types of farm businesses, there will be some options with particular reference to courses in livestock. The total course is designed to help the applicant increase his potential and it will include such things as farm mathematics, English comprehension, economic decision making, crop husbandry, and livestock husbandry. The study of operational costs and return benefit will enter into all parts of the course.

Deadline for applications is December 15th. Selection of applicants and interviews will be completed by early January. Only a limited number of openings are available on this course.

Gospel quartet will sing at local theatre

The four Switzer brothers from Frankford, along with their musical supporters, have given up their jobs, sold their cars and commenced a singing ministry.

They recently shared in weekend meetings at Sudbury, Ont. On Sunday morning, they visited the Sunday School, the local sanitorium and the Pioneer Lodge for the aged. During Sunday afternoon, they mingled with teen-agers in the recreation hall at the Burwash Correctional Institution, Ont., (Aux.-Capt. and Mrs. E. Morgan). The group also took part in a television program on station CKSO. Major Gilbert Fowler delivered the message and Bob Switzer gave the Bible address in the salvation meeting. Several people made decisions to follow Christ.

The Switzer Brothers Quartet will be singing at Stirling Theatre on the night of December 17.

Gospel crusade successful

Another Gospel Crusade, only the second of its kind to be held at Springbrook, was held recently in the Orange Hall with evangelist Sam Learning, assisted by Garry Robinson of Maynooth and the Learning family, Vivian, Sharon and Sandra Learning supplying the music.

Bill Griffin of Campbellford acted as chairman while Hubert Andrews of Bonarlaw was crusade director.

Capacity crowds attended Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights with a good response to the messages. Invitations were given, with a group of willing volunteers assisting with the counselling.

Tourist Council holds meeting at Tweed

The Highlands of Hastings Tourist Regional Council held its regular monthly meeting at the Tweedsmuir Hotel, Tweed, on Thursday evening last. Don Rodgers, vice president, chaired the meeting in the absence of the president, Gordon Bennett.

A seminar for tourist operators was proposed, date to be decided early in the new year. A great deal of opposition was expressed to the proposed amendment to the Tent and Trailer Act. Operators feel that it will impose a hardship on then, and their comments are being expressed to the Department.

It was reported that a new Bill was being introduced to amend the Liquor License Act, which would permit resort establishments in otherwise dry areas to acquire a liquor license during their seasonal operations to serve alcoholic beverages to guests. Progress has been made in licensing of certain outdoor areas such as patios.

The first tourist loan from the One Million Dollar Loan Fund for tourist operators was made on September 29. These loans are open to tourist resort operators located in areas where tourism is of major importance.

James Auld, Minister of Tourism and Information is in possession of a brief regarding the Fire Safety Act and a brief regarding swimming pool regulations. The Ontario Department of Labour has released a special bulletin which outlines the new minimum wage.

A co-operative advertising program is being sponsored by the Highlands of Hastings Tourist Region covering all winter sports events in the county on TV, radio and newspapers.

A representative from this council has been requested to report snow conditions and weather to a Peterborough radio station for information to people who are interested in winter sports in this area.

It has been suggested that the mine at Marmora be developed as a Provincial Park. This was looked on favourably by the Council.

The members of the Highlands of Hastings Regional Council were invited to the Chamber of Commerce Snowmobile Open House in Tweed on Saturday, December 12.

A meeting with regard to co-operative advertising was held in Madoc Hotel Friday night, December 4. All members of winter sports committees in the Highlands of Hastings were invited to attend.

Couple wed 25 years ago

A 25th anniversary party was held for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robertson, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford, both of Spring Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson were married by Rev. James of the St. James Anglican Church in Sutton West.

A buffet supper was served and games were enjoyed by the guests who attended. The 25 guests were Mr. and Mrs. Barry Knox, Markham, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Temple, Scarborough, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowieson, Brampton, Mrs. J. Galloway, Sutton West, Mrs. Rose Ellis, Sutton West, Kenneth and Wayne Ellis, Sutton West, Dorothy Minnie, Monough, Percy Watson, Canfield, John Lyons, Sutton West, Barbara Robertson, Orillia, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bateman, Spring Brook, Mr. and Mrs. J. Turcotte, Marmora, Mr. and Mrs. H. Dougherty, Picton, Charles and James Robertson, Spring Brook, Gordon Justin, Orillia, Mr. and Mrs. E. Crawford, Spring Brook.

POSTER DISPLAY

Joanne Valchar, a Grade Seven student at Stirling Public School, is seen preparing a photographic display on one of the school's bulletin boards. Joanne is a member of the school's camera club.

SPRINGBROOK UCW

The regular meeting of Springbrook United Church Women was held Thursday, December 3 with a good attendance of members and one visitor.

The president, Mrs. Lorne Bailey, opened the meeting with a welcome to all and turned the meeting over to the Social Functions Committee. Mrs. Gerald McFaul took charge of the worship, with her theme "The Christian Woman, Her Christmas", and all repeated John 3, verse 6.

A skit, "Preparing for Christmas", was presented by Mrs. Murney Mason, Mrs. Gordon Bailey and Mrs. Delbert Fleming. Mrs. Mort Reid gave a reading "Christmas at the Babbitts" and Mrs. S. Downer "A Christmas Prayer." Mrs. Fred McKeown closed with worship period and prayer.

The roll call was well responded to by visits each member had made on sick and shut-ins. Carol singing was enjoyed with Mrs. Ralph Wellman supplying the music. Mrs. Clayton Burkitt, secretary, read the minutes and the business was dealt with. Mrs. Murney Mason, treasurer, gave her report and also reported on catering at the Hickson sale on November 30. Thank-you notes were read and donations acknowledged. The reports of standing committees for the year were given. Mrs. George Thompson was made recording secretary and Mrs. Sine corresponding secretary.

STIRLING WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

December meeting at Mrs. William West's residence on Tuesday, December 1. Note change of date.
Exchange of gifts, to not exceed $1.00
Quilts for sale.

Wellman's Corners

(Mrs. Victor Graham)

Mrs. Rose Third, Mr. George Wallace of Campbellford and Mr. Will Wallace of Toronto visited Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Dunham.

Mrs. Charles Dunham and Mr. Clarence Dunham spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dunham of Mount Pleasant.

Mrs. Victor Graham and Eleanor, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ken Thompson to Oshawa on Sunday, and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Graham and family.

Mrs. Glenn Hinds is a patient in Campbellford Memorial Hospital.

STIRLING HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

When the ground has become stiffen with frost, give all evergreens especially those transplanted late this fall, a heavy mulch of straw or well rotted manure. This applies to woody ornamentals too.

RIVER VALLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Mrs. Austin Zoeller, F.W.I.O. president, said at the Board meeting last week. In 1897 the Federation was concerned with homemaking but now we have a general concern with community problems such as pollution and the working mother as well as the Art of Homemaking.

TRIMETTES

A general meeting of the Frankford Trimettes was held at the town hall with 15 members present.

High loser was Lois Clarke with a four lb. loss.

Two new members, Sandra Post and Joanne Perry were welcomed.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Clarke, Patricia and Mary of Clayton, N. Y., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh.

MRS. JAMES A. BLAIR

Funeral service for Mrs. James A. Blair of Stirling was held Thursday at the Hogle Funeral Home. Rev. Charles E. Staples officiated. Interment was in the Stirling Cemetery.

Bearers were Russell Sills, Lindsay Sills, Raymond Chambers, James Mitts, Raeburn Wood and George Sailes.

ELECTIONS

SIDNEY TOWNSHIP

One new face for Sidney township council emerged last night with slightly more than one third of the total voting population reaching the polls.

Incumbent Reeve Jack Bush again defeated his opponent Ernest Kells with a total of 871 votes, a majority of 127 votes. Previous defeat of Mr. Kells in 1968 was reached by a slim margin of 50 votes.

Incumbent deputy reeve Gordon Wilman took an overall majority of 331 votes over contending councillor Arthur Carleton.

The new face on council is Hadley Richardson whose 711 vote standing was third of four contenders.

Majority votes went to incumbent Reg. McCurdy, 909 votes, and 772 to incumbent Glen Meyers.

Frank Meyers was fourth with a total of 565 votes, losing his bid for council.

FRANKFORD

Frankford village council has one new member for the next term as a result of Monday's municipal election which saw three incumbents and one newcomer elected.

Incumbents winning re-election were Marvin Dafoe, Kenneth Lawrence and Mrs. Muriel Rabel. The newcomer elected was Harry Wickson.

Incumbent councillor Carman Mickel was defeated. There was a turnout of about 70 per cent of the voters.

William F. Rose received acclamation for another term as reeve while George Montgomery and H. Willmott Rose were acclaimed as public utility commissioners.

Thursday night mixed league

The Selects won over the B.P.'s by 4 points to 3.

The Westenders were winners over the Idlers by 5 points to 2.

Ladies high single, Opal Reilly, 283; high triple and average, Sylvia Edgar with 626 and 197.

Men's high single, Denis Pring with 305. High triple, Gordon Barrie, with 729 and the high average, Ralph Park with 212.

STANDINGS

B.P.'s	48
Idlers	39
Selects	49
Westenders	32

The selects were winners over the Westenders by 5 points to 2. The Idlers lost to the B.P.'s by 3 points to 4.

The high single, triple and average for the week of Nov. 26 in the Thursday Night Mixed League was held by Sylvia Edgar with 234, 646 and 196 respectively.

Gordon Barrie had the men's high single and triple with 245 and 704. Ralph Park has the high average with 213.

Season Standings

B.P.'s	45
Idlers	37
Selects	45
Westenders	27

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I WISH ALL THE COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON.
DONALD R. WILLIAMS

I WISH TO THANK ALL VOTERS FOR THE CONFIDENCE EXPRESSED AT THE POLLS BY ELECTING ME AS A MEMBER OF
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River Valley WI

The Christmas meeting of River Valley Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. George Grills on Thursday, December 3.

The rooms were festive with Christmas decorations which included a lighted tree and several lovely bouquets of gladioli, 'mums and carnations given to Mrs. Grills by a florist friend. There was also a red floral corsage for each member of the group. There were 25 members, four visitors and six pre-school children in attendance.

Mrs. Roy Tucker presided and opened with the Institute Ode and the Mary Stewart Collect. She welcomed the visitors and she also voiced thanks to everyone for their co-operation with the banquet and card parties. Mrs. Ernest Carr read the minutes and correspondence. Mrs. J. L. Donohoe gave the financial statement and a report of the proceeds of the banquet and the four card parties. Mrs. Vernon Harry gave a report of the Centre. It was decided to cater for a teachers' banquet and a Legion party in December and the Lower Trent Valley Fish and Game Club annual banquet in January.

The Centennial tray has been polished and a message of thanks will be sent to the local jeweller.

Mrs. Roy Irven reported the 4-H Club work. The Achievement Day is December 5. Jane Bush and Trudy Gozzard will receive provincial honors and Susan Bush, county honors. Mrs. Irven has served several years in church projects. She is now retiring and the new assistant leader will be Mrs. Sharon Sager. The next project is the "Cereal Shelf.'

Mrs. Percy MacMullen distributed the individual Christmas gifts from Abbots Leige W.I. in England and the greeting cards. She also read part of a letter thanking the River Valley for their parcel.

For public relations, Mrs. MacMullen told of the death of Mrs. H. P. Van Wagner, who was a charter member of the Stoney Creek W. I. in 1879. She also reported that Mrs. Austin Zoeller had been re-elected president of the Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario for the third term. She also displayed a picture of the newly organized Mapleview W. I. in Murray Township.

The A.C.W.W. secretary read Home Management-Improve the Way you Work.

Kenneth Hoard gathered the Pennies for Friendship.

The January meeting, based on Canadian Industries, will be held at the home of Mrs. Vernon Harry.

The weekly card parties will be resumed on Friday evening, January 8.

Mrs. Jack Bush gave an up to date list of current events which included that the recent thunder storm was the third time that such has occurred over a period of years. She also mentioned that a former member, Miss Mary Thomas, was recently interviewed on Country Calendar.

Stanley Irvin sent a report that gifts of money for the upkeep of River Valley Pioneer Cemetery have been received.

The Institute will provide their usual cheer parcels for the shut-ins at Christmas.

All present were urged to use their franchise on Monday, December 7. Copies of the fall issue of Home and Country were distributed.

The Christmas program was in charge of Mrs. Harry Morrow and Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh. The roll call. A Christmas Symbol, gave each person a chance to participate as they read an article prepared expecially on this theme. Each message was very informative and gave a detailed account of various items such as the Yule Log, the Christmas tree, etc. Several Christmas carols were sung.

Mrs. Robert H. Hoard read "Christmas of Long Ago" and Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh read "The Message of Christmas".

Mrs. Vernon Harry demonstrated crochet work, doll clothes, candles and various items of interest.

Mrs. Maurice Clancy showed a large collection of Christmas wreaths, candles, plastic articles, all made of odds and ends of material.

Mrs. H. Morrow displayed home-made party flowers. A large box held an assortment of gifts which will be taken to Belleville for mental health patients. Institute Grace closed the program.

The gift exchange by number was a novel way of distributing the many wrapped parcels which had been placed underneath the evergreen tree. The hostess provided recorded Christmas music. The Citizenship and Education group were in charge of the social hour. Their refreshments included jellos, fruit bread, celery and cheese and the hostess provided delicious fruit cake. Mrs. Roy Bush expressed thanks for the hospitality, program and lunch.

WORK UNDER WAY

Work began Monday on the construction of a 12-unit Senior Citizens apartment building on Church St. in Stirling. The contractor responsible for the building is Jack Law of Peterborough. A building permit was taken out for $95,000.

Wednesday Ladies Bowling

Dec. 2, 1970 – Ivy Poste's Lucky 7 were 4 to 3 winners over Doreen Platford's Starlites. Joan Rankin's Dew Drops were 5 to 2 winners over the Drop Outs.

Points to date – Drop Outs, 16; Lucky 7, 45; Starlites, 38; Dew Drops, 27.

Group 'A' (150 average and up) – High single, Marilyn Haggerty, 248; high triple, Vereen Kosmack, 610; high average, Sylvia Edgar, 190.

Group 'B' (149 average and under) – high single, Joan Herrington, 223; high triple, Connie Donohoe, 557.

Other good games – Betty Hubble, 203; Vereen Kosmack, 212, 213; Connie Donohoe, 207; Jo-Ann Vanderwilp, 200; Shirley Milligan, 238.

Mount Pleasant

(Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

Mr. and Mrs. Anne Jensen and son Mark, Ottawa, spent Sunday, November 29, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dunham. The afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bush and Steven, Mr. and Mrs. Les Gozzard and Paul and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Pollock.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McConnell and son Keith have taken up residence in their new home on Front Street in the village.

The Sunday School is sponsoring a special Christmas program on Sunday evening, December 13 at 8 p.m.

Kenneth Sharp, Rodney Graff and Keith McConnell recently won 4-H awards.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Wrightman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Wrightman, Roseland Acres, Trenton, on Sunday, November 29.

Eight ladies from here enjoyed the Horticultural bus trip on Monday, November 30 to Oshawa and Toronto. They were Mrs. Grant Hubble, Mrs. John Morgan, Mrs. Oscar Merrick, Mrs. Kenneth Weaver, Mrs. Raymond McConnell, Mrs. Milford Wrightman, Mrs. Mac Sharp and her mother, Mrs. Harry Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Linn quietly observed their 45th wedding anniversary on Wednesday, December 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Williams attended the wedding of their niece, Ann Marie Emerson, to Terry Michael Casselman in Emmanuel United Church, Foxboro on Saturday evening, December 5. The reception followed in the church hall.

Mrs. Herbert Smith, Mrs. William Jeffs, Mrs. Milford Wrightman, Mrs. Garth Joslin, Jenifer Joslin and Daryl Chapman attended the Christmas meeting of Hoards U.C.W. at the home of Mrs. Robert C. Hoard on Wednesday, December 2.

On Sunday, December 6, Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen attended a silver wedding anniversary party in honour of their son Ormel and his wife, the former Jean Nancie Small. They were married on December 1, 1945 in the Anglican Church at Sunbury-on-the-Thames in England. Jean came to Canada in July, 1946 with the war brides. They have resided in Belleville since 1947 where Ormel has been a mail courier in the city for the past 23 years.

Their family, David and his wife Rose Marie, Patsy, Susan and John were in charge of the arrangements. A private party was held at their home at 31 Murney Street, Belleville, on Saturday evening, November 28.

Rawdon Hi-C group held their December meeting last Wednesday evening in the Church Hall. The president, Gordon Hoard, welcomed the Roslin Sing-Out group and they furnished a full program with approximately 30 entertainers. At the close, refreshments were served.

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IGA ROYAL GUEST INSTANT COFFEE 10-OZ. JAR $1.25
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Snow removal crews in both urban and rural areas have been busy for the past week cleaning up snow. Here, a backhoe and truck tackle the job on Front St.

Rawdon Council

Rawdon Township council met on Dec. 1 at Harold

It was agreed that Donald Todd be given permission to sell part of lots 18 and 19 on the fifth Concession of Rawdon to the Lower Trent Region Conservation Authority. The clerk was instructed to write to Clarke Rollins, M.L.A. for Hastings, asking that he intercede with the Ontario Municipal Board to get the approval of the sale of the land from Donald Todd and Lloyd King to the Conservation Authority.

The following fire accounts are to be paid: McKeown's Garage, $26.89; Mutual Aid, $75; wages to the fire chief, caretaker and fire fighters for the year, $2,006.

A bill for $43.33 for the Springbrook fire phones is to be paid.

The following wolf bounties will be paid: H. A. Ferrier, $25; Jack Frances, $25; Roy Reed, $25; William Redcliffe, $25; John Thompson, $25; Douglas Frances, $25; and Edward Colden, $25.

The clerk was instructed to write to Paul Smith, asking him to have the assessment commissioner for Hastings and Prince Edward divide the assessment on the Thompson property.

It was agreed that Lorne Bailey be paid $150 for a heifer killed by dogs and that Edward Colden be paid $5 for an evaluation.

Bylaws were passed to impose a special rate upon three ratepayers under the Tile Drainage Act for a loan for the purpose of draining land.

Council adjourned to meet again on Tuesday, December 15 at 2 p.m.

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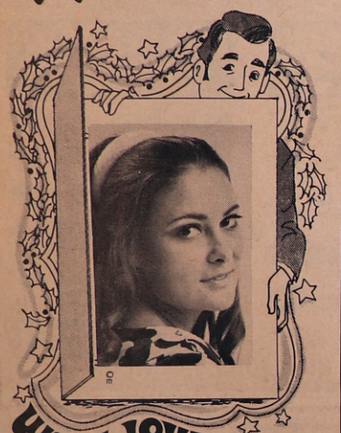

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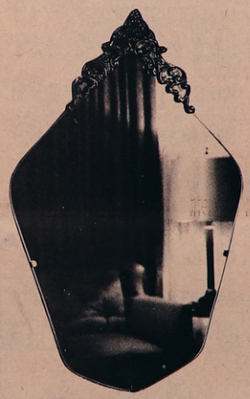

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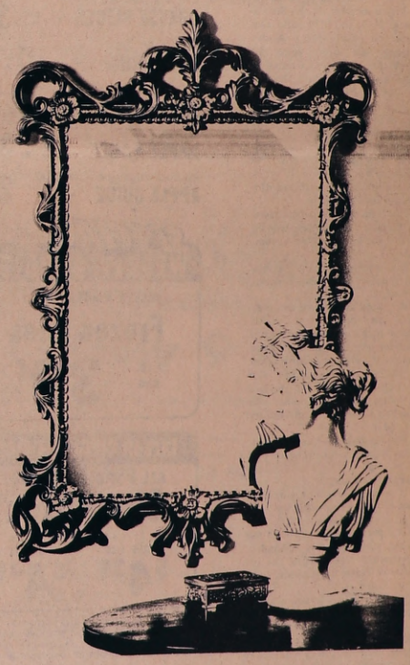

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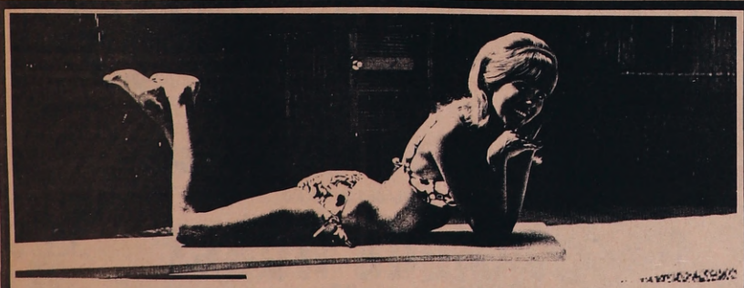

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Public school league bowling

Saturday, Dec. 5, the Great Ones and the Champions gained 5 points each on the League leading Partridge Family and Alley Cats. Points now are Alley Cats 31; Partridge Family 28; Great Ones 26 and the Champions 24.

BANTAM DIVISION

Jo-Anne Valchar had all three highs with 183, single, 322 double and average of 129.

Ricky Clements also had all three highs with 161 single, 296 double and average of 153.

Other good games – Sherry Farrell, 145 and 145; Suzanne Jacket, 140 and 108; Jo-Anne Valchar, 139; Ricky Clements, 135; Candy Blakeley, 126 and 120; Robby Clements, 123; Dianna Barrie, 115 and 112; Kim Philp, 113; Sandra Edgar, 112; Heather Glendinning, 133; Paul Scea, 125; Brian Clements, 123 and Cheryl McGee, 104.

JUNIOR DIVISION

Girls' high single, double and average, Pearl Hum, 197, 344 and 154.

Boys' high single, Steve Benson, 122; high double, Robbie Hatton, 231 and average, Bill Seeley, 162. Other good games – Pearl Hum, 147; Barbara Hoyt, 113 and Robbie Hatton, 119.

Over $63 for UNICEF raised here

Despite a cold, rainy collection night for Hallowe'en the children of Hastings County were able to donate $5,284.52 to the United Nations Children's Fund. The UNICEF committee was gratified by the response.

This fund-raising project, which was a co-operative effort among the public, separate, and Christian schools, was organized for the first time on a county-wide basis. While no complete records are available for comparison purposes with last year's donations, organizers feel that an overall increase was received and that a continuation of a county approach was desirable.

Unusual was the fact that operating expenses of the event were only $45.00 or .8% of the total collected. This was due in part to many volunteer groups giving their time to distributing materials, collecting and counting the hundreds of thousands of pennies, and aiding with promotional activities such as the visit of D. J. Brooks, Chief of Editorial and Publications Services of UNICEF to Trenton and Madoc.

Pupils of Stirling schools raised more than $63.00.

MRS. HERBERT BUCKINGHAM

Mrs. Herbert Buckingham of 246 Twelfth Street, Hanover died Monday, Nov. 23 at Western Hospital, Toronto at 70 years of age.

The former Helen Zwick, she was born Jan. 24, 1900 at Stirling, a daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Frank Zwick.

She attended Grace United Church, Hanover, was a member of the United Church Women and Hanover Rebekah Lodge.

Her husband, Herbert Buckingham, predeceased her in 1962.

Surviving are, son, Charles of Welland; daughters, Mrs. Kenneth (Francis) Sebben of Waterloo, Mrs. Agnes MacDonald of Oshawa and three grandchildren. She was predeceased by one brother.

Mrs. Buckingham rested at the Tanner and Pearson Funeral Home, Hanover until noon Friday, Nov. 27 when the service was held at Grace United church. Rev. Glen R. Strome officiated.

Temporary entombment was made in Hanover cemetery chapel.

MRS. JAMES HUBERT THIRD

Funeral service for Mrs. Clara Beatrice Third of Stirling was held Nov. 30 in the Rowe Funeral Home in Frankford. Rev. A. L. Sutherland officiated. Interment was in the Burnbrae Cemetery.

Bearers were Donald Tucker, John Craighead, Robert Hatton and Bernard Farrel.

Mrs. Third died Nov. 27 in the Stirling Towers Nursing Home after being ill for three months. She was in her 87th year.

Born in England, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stephens. She was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Third was predeceased by her husband, James Hubert Third and two brothers, Harry and Arthur Stephens.

Carmel

Nine tables were in play at the euchre party in the Community Hall on Friday evening. Prizes were won by: men's, Bob McCauley, Vern Scram, Lyle Johnston; ladies', Mrs. Ray Keating, Mrs. Vernon Harry, Mrs. Ralph Jeffs; travelling lone hand, David Hearns; door prize, Kathy Grills. Lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grills visited her father, Mrs. Allan Howes, who is a patient in a Kingston hospital.

Harry Hagerman is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

Mrs. W. Steinhaver attended the funeral of her nephew, the late Carl Woods in Flinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith spent Sunday with their son, Mr. Donald Smith and Mrs. Smith in Trenton.

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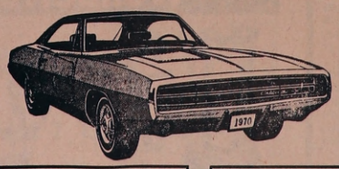

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Rylstone

(Mrs. Ellis Jones)

Gladys May (Rutherford) Jackson, a former Rylstone girl, died suddenly in a Bowmanville hospital in her 58th year. She was born at Rylstone, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rutherford. She lived at Springbrook for several years following her marriage, before moving to Stirling.

After her husband's death, she moved to Oshawa, where she was living at the time of her death. She was employed in Oshawa as a seamstress at a garment factory.

She is survived by three sons: Wallace of Oshawa; Joseph of Cobourg and Roland of Harold; three daughters, Mrs. Jack (Rosalie) Dainard of Oshawa; Mrs. David (Linda) Scott of Oshawa and Mrs. Lloyd (Lolita) Partridge of Cobourg; and one sister, Mrs. Nellie Stass of Wheatley.

She was predeceased by her husband, Joseph, her parents, and one daughter, Mrs. Beverley Thickson.

Her body rested at the Hogle Funeral Home in Stirling until Saturday afternoon, when interment took place in Rylstone cemetery, beside the church (now closed) which she attended as a child.

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The first card party of the season, sponsored by the Rylstone Women's Institute was held in the W. I. Hall on Saturday evening.

There were eight tables of progressive euchre played and other games supplied for children.

Prize winners were: couple coming farthest, Mr. and Mrs. Art Reycraft, Campbellford; ladies' high score, Mrs. Alfred Akins; Men's high score, Art Reycraft; ladies' low score, Mrs. Annie Dutton; Men's low score, Henry Radcliffe.

Runners-up for the season's championship were Art Reycraft, Mrs. Hazel Akins, Ernest Irwin and Clarence Wright.

The ladies' travelling prize was won by Jack Watson, playing as a lady and the men's travelling prize went to Clarence Thomson.

Lunch was served at the close of the party. The next party will be held November 21 at 8:00 p.m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Brennan of Havelock visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Jone. recently.

Mrs. Tom McKeown of Belleville was an overnight guest of her son Paul and his wife on Sunday after attending the graduation of her son Bill of Oakville and Denton Meiklejohn of Springbrook, from the University of Waterloo.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McKeown and Kelly were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. Archibald in Toronto and called on other friends there. On Sunday, they attended the graduation exercises at Kitchener Memorial Auditorium to see his brother Bill receive his B.A. degree.

Congratulations to Beverley Mumby, Johnnie Spencer and Jimmie and Craig Finch, who all finished 24 miles in the Walkathon of students from Centre Hastings Secondary School at Madoc. The money earned will go to a student-supported charity. Kathy Thomson finished 20 miles of the walk.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reid, Tammie, Lois and Paul visited Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Brooks at Whitby on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stewart of Peterborough spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray stewart.

Mrs. Gary Lounsbury, Vicki and Marci of Peterborough were dinner guests of her brother, Jack Spencer, his wife and Nancy on Wednesday.

Mrs. Cyril McKeown and Jamie were recent guests of her sister, Mrs. Bob Spencer and family.

Dennis Finch of Markham spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Finch and joined with his father and other men in the local deer hunt.

Aaron Anderson spent last week deer hunting.

Jerry and Joe Mumby were Sunday guests of the Thomson twins, Mark and Michael.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Lott and Robin of West Huntingdon were dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. Cora Reid on Sunday. Mrs. Reid returned home with them for a few days.

Mrs. Wayne Wildman of Toronto spent the weekend here with her husband and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Irwin and family of Campbellford visited his parents, Mrs. and Mr. Ernest Irwin on Sunday.

Gary Robinson of Bancroft was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reid and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barton have moved to their new home (The Eastwood house) in Springbrook.

Mrs. Mabel Beggs of Campbellford celebrated her 83rd birthday with her son Cecil Finch, his wife and boys on Wednesday.

Mrs. Gary Lounsbury and daughters Vicki and Marci of Peterborough spent a week recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Spencer.

George Reid of University of Waterloo spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath spent a few days last week with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mason at Scarborough.

Congratulations to Ray Shortt and Murray Heath, who were acclaimed reeve and deputy reeve respectively of Rawdon Township and to Jack Spencer, who was acclaimed as a Rawdon councillor for 1971.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy McIlwaine and Stevie of Toronto visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spencer and family on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson and family of Trent River were Sunday supper guests of her brother, Clarence Thomson, his wife and family.

Mr. Aubrey Dellandrea of North Bay was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McKeown.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mumby and family were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spry of Bonarlaw and aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath.

Raymond Finch is convalescing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Finch.

Mrs. Malcolm MacKenzie of Bowmanville spent a few days recently with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Pettey (the former Anne Reid) have taken up residence at 6171 Dorchester Road, Niagara Falls, Ontario, after spending the past two years at Churchill Falls, Labrador.

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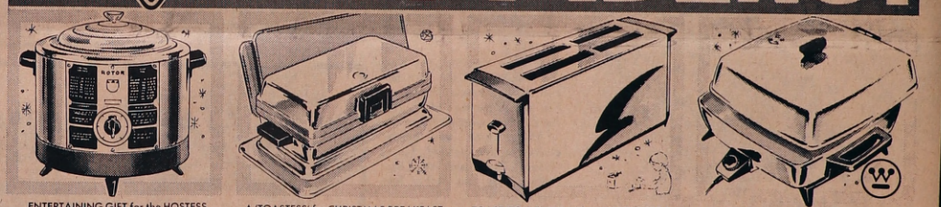
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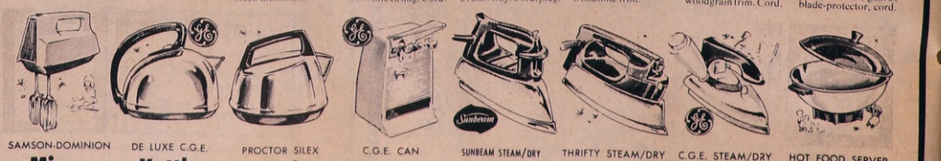
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Rylstone WI

The Women's Institute held a very interesting and enjoyable Christmas meeting in Rylstone W. I. Hall on Wednesday afternoon with an attendance of over 30.

The hall was tastefully decorated for the Christmas season by the hostesses, Mrs. Hector Arnold and Mrs. Lindsay Anderson. Bouquets of red and white poinsettias and other seasonable flower arrangements graced the piano, windows and side tables. A small illuminated Christmas tree centred a large table and under and around it were piled parcels for the gift exchange.

Guests for the day were present from Zion United Church U.C.W., Stanwood United Church U.C.W. and ladies from the Rylstone Gospel Chapel.

Mrs. Lindsay Anderson was in charge of the program and conducted the business, which included arrangements for catering to the community sale at Hoard's Sale Barn on December 14, paying of bills, etc. A food committee for the sale was chosen. They are Mrs. Margaret Osborne, Mrs. Gerald Barnum, Mrs. Jack Watson and Mrs. Eldon Anderson.

Following the W. I. Ode and Lord's Prayer, the roll call was answered by "My Favourite Christmas Carol." Mrs. Ernest Irwin gave the secretary-treasurer's report.

Mrs. Don Kerr gave a showing of home-made flowers, mostly made from everyday materials such as newspapers and egg cartons, touched up with spray paint and felt pen markings. They were a pretty sight.

Mr. Melville Gibson of Campbellford, a retired senior citizen, sent a splendid assortment of his hand-made wooden and shell novelties. There were personally shown by Mrs. Ernest Irwin, who described the materials and the origin of many.

A trio consisting of Mrs. Austin Dunk, Mrs. Jack Spencer and Mrs. Don Stewart sweetly sang "Silent Night" and "Sweet Hour of Prayer," with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Paul McKeown.

Mrs. Ernie Rowe gave a reading "The Sunday School Pageant."

Mrs. Alice Brunton favoured with a violin solo, "Rudolph" and "Jingle Bells" with Mrs. Ernest Irwin supplying piano accompaniment.

Mrs. Ellis Jones gave a musical contest of Christmas songs and carols and "Happy Birthday" was sung to Mrs. Charles Stewart.

A very pleasant interval was enjoyed during the gift exchange, participated in by almost everyone.

Mrs. Alice Brunton led the singing of "God Save the Queen" and a dainty lunch of sandwiches, fruit bread, cookies, pickles, cheese and coffee was enjoyed. The hostesses were assisted by several of the members. A further inspection of Mr. Gibson's hobby work was enjoyed and some articles purchased.

Leading in points in the race for the championship at the progressive euchre parties at Rylstone W. I. Hall so far is Clarence Wright, with Mrs. Alf. Akins and Mrs. Annie Dutton as runners-up.

Hostesses for the party on Saturday evening, December 5, were Mrs. Ernest Irwin and Mrs. Carl Reid.

Rylstone Women's Institute members, please keep in mind the Christmas meeting on Wednesday. There will be a gift exchange valued at 50 cents to 75 cents. There will be a display of wood work and shell work, by a well-known senior citizen. All local ladies welcomed.

HASTI-AGRI-GRAM

ANNUAL MEETINGS
WHAT SHOULD THEY MEAN?
W. D. Tipper

December, January and February is the usual period when most farm organizations and community club annual meetings occur. Unfortunately, too many members approach the annual meeting with the wrong attitude. The truth is, that it is the one time of the year when the member has a chance, along with the other members, to revitalize the organization. As a result, each member should go to the annual meeting, keeping certain things in mind. Remember, he is thinking about both the organization and the member.

First of all is the question. Is the organization keeping up with the times? In other words, does the real purpose of the organization meet the requirement of today's conditions? This is not a drastic change that has to be considered every year, but rather it is an assessment under current conditions of WHAT the organization is doing and HOW it is doing it.

The second point is the matter of attitudes. The easiest thing we do is to take the negative approach and find fault. The hard thing is to find ways of converting negative points into positive points. This is not easily done and it has to be a form of evolution, a slow process, it is not a dramatic and sudden discovery of what can be done to solve an organizational problem.

The third, and most important point is the question of leadership. In any organization, leadership has to come from amongst the members to be effective. It can't be imposed from outside. We sometimes overwork the meaning of leadership in an organization. Leadership comes from the collective ideas of the executive and directors. As a result, it is important that at the annual meeting, members be willing to join in the election of officers and willing to accept the various roles that are necessary to make the organization work. Over a period of time all members should take their turn in the various organizational positions.

If we sort out these things we can make our organizations as strong as they should be to perform the role for which they were formed. Only then will the organization, whether it be a farm producer group, cheese factory or community club, be truly effective in the area in which it is serving. Every member has a responsibility to make sure that it carries out its aims and objectives.

Minto

(Mrs. Lindsay Tanner)

A card party was held in Minto Community Hall Thursday night with eight tables in play.

The winners were: ladies' high, Miss Mary Lou Sine; ladies' second, Mrs. George Sarles; ladies' low, Harold Holden (playing as a lady); men's high, Joe Forestell; men's second, Lindsay Tanner; men's low, Ivan Sarles; door prize, Mrs. Ross Kirn.

Following cards, lunch was served. The next party will be held in two weeks.

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Mrs. Albert Twiddy underwent surgery in Belleville General Hospital on Thursday.

Mrs. Abbie Mumby is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Twiddy for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Billington and boys of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Heath of Bonarlaw were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner this week.

Mrs. Anne Tanner of Belleville spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Vance.

Friday nightmixed bowling

The Korner Pins took the lead again last week with 47 points. Following close behind are the Scatter Pins with 45 points.

The Mix Ups gave up seven points to the Slow Pokes. They are still in third place with 36 points and the Slow Pokes have 26 points.

Verna Woodbeck still holds high average for the women with 198 and Ralph Park walked away with high average of 216 for the men. Ray Poste rolled the high triple of 791, also taking high single of 309 for Friday night. Verna Woodbeck has high triple of 664 and Ivy Poste high single of 250.

There were some real good games bowled. Maurice Faulkner rolled a 724 triple with games of 202, 298 and 224; Ralph Park had a 775 triple on singles of 279, 255 and 241. Ralph Scea rolled 200, 274 and 266 for a triple of 740. Other good games were Bill Reid, 215 and 229; Rosa Spry, 240; Doug. Scea, 244 and 214; Ralph Riseley, 244; Ivy Poste, 226; John Reickert, 222; 200 and 263; Hilda Rose, 203 and 201; Howard Morgan, 232 and 217 and Irene Lippert, 249.

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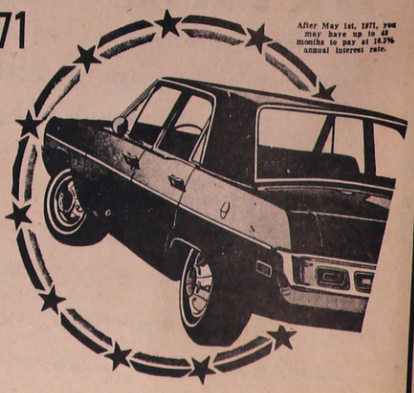

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A CARD PARTY will be held at Carmel Community on Friday, Dec. 11, at 8 p.m. Prizes and lunch. 47-1

THE NEXT MEETING OF THE STIRLING COMMUNITY SEWING CLUB will be held on Monday, Jan. 11. Lois Benson and the teenage group will hold their regular meeting at the school next Monday Dec. 14. 47-1

CANDLELIGHT SERVICE. St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, West Huntingdon. Christmas Eve. Dec. 24, at 8 o'clock. Special Christmas music. 47-3

CARDS OF THANKS

I WISH TO EXPRESS MY sincere thanks to my friends, neighbors and relatives for all their cards, gifts, flowers, phone calls and visits during my stay in Belleville hospital. A special thank you to Rev. Small and Rev. MacDonald for their visits and prayers. Dr. Matheison, Dr. Dacknill and the nurses on 4th floor for their patience and expert medical attention. My parents for their loving care. Connie Tucker. 47-1

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CARD OF THANKS

I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS my sincere thanks to my friends, relatives and neighbors for cards, calls, flowers and treats during my recent stay in Belleville hospital. A special thank you to St. Thomas A.C.W. for cards and flowers, also to Springbrook U.C.W. ladies. To Dr. Mathieson and Dr. Williamson and the nurses on 6th floor. Your kindness will always be remembered. Ethel Runnalls. 47-1

IN MEMORIAM

MACK-In memory of Fred Mack, who passed away Dec. 19, 1969, at Belleville, Ont.

Thoughts Wander as daylight fades
To the times of long ago,
And Memory Paints old scenes
In the gold of the twilight glow.
I seem to see in the soft dim light
A face that is now at rest,
I think of him, when daytime fades
Out here in the far off West.
—Remembered and Sadly missed by Sister (Elsie). 47-1

DEATH NOTICE

MAGUIRE-Alexander Hunter, suddenly on Dec. 8 at his home, 15 Cherry Gardens, Belleville. In his 86th year. Survived by two sons, Max, Stirling, and Donald G. Williams, Oak Hills, and a daughter, Mrs. Doris Howie, Belleville. Resting at the Grant Funeral Home, Belleville with service Thursday Dec. 10, at 2 p.m. 47-1

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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

SANDRA AND HUGH HOARD wishes to announce the arrival of a baby boy at Guelph General Hospital on Tuesday, Dec. 1st, 1970. A brother for Laurie and Dale. 47-1

ENGAGEMENT

THE ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED of Ruth Clara Mae Hamilton, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamilton, to Raymond Edward Renout. Wedding to take place on December 19, 1970 at 2 p.m. at St. George's Anglican Church, Peterborough. 47-1

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ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Thompson of Roslin wish to announce the engagement of their oldest daughter, Marilyn Jane, to John David Patterson, of Tweed. Wedding will take place on Thursday, Dec. 31, 1970 in Thomasburg United Church at 10:00 a.m. 47-1

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Spencer visited her niece, Mrs. Ray Davis, her husband and family at Frankford recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dunk and Arlene visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Art Turner Sr., in Toronto and called on Arthur Turner Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Mitchell of Wooler were Sunday supper guests of Mrs. Cora Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spencer and family visited her mother, Mrs. Clare Lisle at Stanwood on Sunday. Lynne Spencer of Peterborough, who spent the weekend with her parents, accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Pettey of Niagara Falls and Mrs. Ray Pettey of Campbellford were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Reid.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stewart of Peterborough; and Mr. and Mrs. Cyril McKeown and Janey of Bonarlaw.

Mrs. Fred Petherick accompanied her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Bedore to Bancroft recently, where they visited her mother, Mrs. Minnie Morton at Centennial Manor.

On Tuesday evening, Mrs. Essie Reid and her brothers William and Dick Morton attended a family dinner at the home of their sister, Mrs. Cliff Anderson and her husband at Burnbrae.

Tom Kerr of Seymour West and Craig Reid were Sunday guests of Eddie Dunk.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Reid and Jim Speechley were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moran at Frankford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath were supper guests of Miss Blanche Gibson in Campbellford on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Reid entertained his mother and her brothers and sisters to dinner on Thursday night. Present were Mrs. Essie Reid, William and Dick Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Anderson, Burnbrae; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reid, Mrs. Fred McKeown, Springbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Jones visited his mother Mrs. G. W. Jones in Stirling on Sunday. Mrs. Jones Sr. is confined to her room, following a recent fall at her home. She suffered severe bruises but no bones were broken according to X-Rays taken at Belleville General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Watson of Petherick's Corners; Mrs. Essie Reid, Rylstone, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Evelyn Sine and family of Belleville.

Mrs. Ralph Heath accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Frank White of Campbellford to Scarborough where they spent the weekend.

Mrs. Cora Reid was a recent guest of her daughters, Mrs. Allan Foote at Hoards and Mrs. Basil Lott at West Huntingdon, their husbands and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwellyn Post and Cathy of Belleville and Denzil Andrews spent Friday evening with Ralph Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Cranston and sons of Napanee were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Anderson.

Mrs. Jack Cheynoweth, Wendy and Trevor of Peterborough visited her father, Murray Meiklejohn on Wednesday.

Mr. William Morton Sr., and his sister, Mrs. Essie Reid, were dinner guests of his daughter, Mrs. Ed. Stephens, her husband and family at Trent River on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reid and Janice of Springbrook; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reid and Cathy and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Reid and Michael, all of Stirling, visited Mr. and Mrs. Percy Reid and Mrs. Essie Reid on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spencer and children were Sunday supper guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Akins on Sunday evening.

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Stirling WI holds meeting

Stirling Institute's December meeting at the home of Mrs. William West was opened by its president, Mrs. Cook in the usual manner. One new member, Mrs. Broadworth was welcomed.

Seventy-eight boxes had been sent to the Scott Mission. The donation from Bonarlaw was appreciated. Tower's Nursing Home's request for night dresses and sweaters brought a ready response. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved. Mrs. Ayrhart reported on quilts made and sold. Proceeds of the card party were $8.25. The Institute is to buy plants for the nursing homes and send cards to several members.

Mrs. Tanner gave an informative and interesting report on the area convention with its slogan of "Go Forward; Look Upward," for evils look to God for help." Be kind to both old and young, she said, because old people have come a long way and young people have a long way to go. Be comfortable and enthusiastic. When one door closes, another opens. These were a few thoughts to be taken from the convention.

Miss Lenore Williams assisted by Mrs. Bronson arranged the program. The story of "Silent Night" was given and with Mrs. David at the piano, the hymn was sung. Several readings were given: "This Time of Year" by Mrs. Bartlett; "The Christmas Tree" by Mrs. Ayrhart; "Christmas Blooms" by Mrs. Ward; "The Child" by Mrs. Tanner and "The Cowboy's Christmas" by Mrs. Bronson. Mrs. David closed the program with a number of carols, "The Queen" and grace.

Exchange of gifts and lunch concluded the meeting.

Springbrook

(Mrs. Malcolm Mason)

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Boldrick, Steven and Carol, Belleville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Mumby on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spry of Bonarlaw visited at the same home in the evening.

Hastings and Prince Edward Mutual Firemen's Association held their monthly meeting at Rawdon Fire Hall on Wednesday evening with 96 members and visitors present.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mason of Scarborough were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Preston of Toronto were weekend guests of Mr. Les Preston and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Fleming were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fleming and children at Cornwall on the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barton, Rylstone, and Mr. and Mrs. Allan McComb, Sidney, have taken up residence in our village.

Mrs. Percy Mumby attended a birthday party on Friday afternoon in honour of Mrs. Jessie Hallett at the Edward St. Manor, Stirling.

Mrs. Annie Phillips spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Reid and visited her sister, Mrs. Jane Reid, a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

HOLIDAY HAZARDS

Canadians can keep ambulances and fire engines where they belong - in the garage - this holiday season be taking common sense precautions, the Canada Safety Council says.

"First be a friend - then a host" is a good guideline for festive parties which too often lead to traffic mishaps, James Thackray, President of the Council said in a holiday message.

Hosts should adopt a sense of responsibility towards guests who have to drive home, he said. That one for the road might very well put the guest off the road.

The average person's system can absorb a 1½ ounce drink of spirits or 12 ounce bottle of bear an hour. The guest who overdoes it despite the best intentions of the host should be sent home in a taxi. The office party is potentially dangerous for employees who drive to work. A number of firms solve this problem by asking employees not to drive to work the day of the party and arranging transportation home after the event.

A snack with coffee at the end of the party will not sober up guests but it will gain valuable time for the body to eliminate the alcohol. However, guests who try to sober up with a lot of coffee, cold showers and exercise merely turn themselves into wide-awake drunks whose functions remain impaired by alcohol.

En route to a family holiday or parties, drivers should make sure they can see out of all windows and that their vehicles including lights can be seen. In this season combining slippery roads, dense traffic and darting pedestrians, drivers should make sure there is enough space between them and cars ahead and behind in which to stop safely in the event of an emergency.

Turning to home accidents, studies show alcohol is a major factor in falls, fires and cuts, dissipating the fallacy that heading home before engaging in heavy drinking ensures a safe holiday.

Falls are the most common home accidents. Ice-free walks around the house prevent accidents. Securing a firm footing when putting up decorations is essential. If available, taller people should decorate places out of reach of other people rather then employing makeshift ladders.

With a lot of people around, main walking areas should be freed of potential hazards such as foot stools.

Fire is the next main household hazard. Before outdoor decorating is started, householders should make sure their circuits can take the extra load and that their wiring is in good condition. Weather-proof cords and sockets should be used. Never use larger than a 15 ampere fuse.

Frayed wires and cracked Christmas tree light fixtures can also cause fires. The tree itself should be kept moist by inserting it in a stable, water-filled container. Check and refill the container if necessary because Christmas trees are thirstier than you think.

Keep the tree away from fireplaces and don't hang tinsel near electric outlets or plugs because any contact with electricity causes dangerous sparks. When the tree gets tinder dry after Christmas, it should be disposed of despite objections.

Gift wrappings should also be thrown out as soon as possible because they are most flammable.

Cuts and burns ruin many holidays and are often caused by excessive traffic in the kitchen. Keep children away from the cooking area as much as possible and avoid scalds by turning pot handles inwards.

When it comes time to cut the bird, the man of the house should be in such a condition that he carves the turkey, not himself.

The Canada Safety Council wishes all Canadians a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. They will be merry if everybody practices moderation in drinking and common sense

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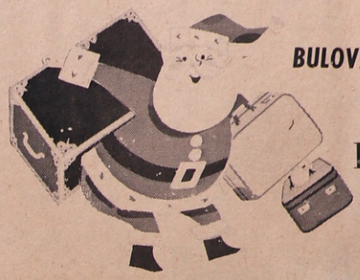

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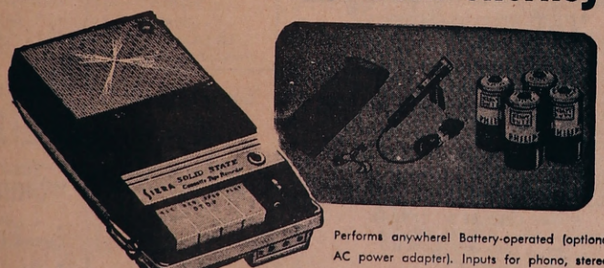

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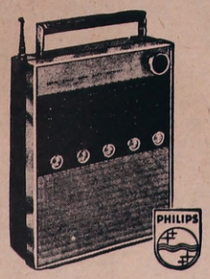

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MARY KEEPS HER VIGIL WHILE ANGELS SING TO THE BABE

St. John's children present pageant

ST. JOHN'S CHILDREN REHEARSE FOR PAGEANT

On Sunday, December 13, instead of the regular morning service, the children of St. John's Sunday School presented a pageant of the Christmas Story. The procession was led by Danny Clarke, carrying the cross, and Scott Alexander and Carl Weatherell, candle bearers.

The Sunday School choir came next, followed by the junior class. Mary and Joseph, portrayed by Patti Tanner and Ronnie Clarke were seated by the manger to recreate the Nativity Scene. Narrators for the pageant were four of the senior boys – Scott Alexander, Carl Wearherell, Stephen Barrie and Danny Clarke.

A pantomime, "Silent Night" was enacted by the snior girls of the choir: Helen Rose, Kim Alexander, Christine McGee, Peggy Morgan, Denise Morgan, Lynn Murray, Sandra Edgars and Darlene Shannik. Recitations were said by Jacqueline Barrett and Tina Alexander.

The juniors sang "Away in a Manger" with Andrew Staples, age 6, as soloist. Other soloists were: Margie Barnard, "What Child is This?"; Kathy Reid, "The Rocking Carol"; Roger McGee and Danny Clarke, "I Saw Three Ships", Peggy and Denise Morgan, duet recitation "The Christ Child Comes Once More."

The offering was received by Stephen Barrie and placed on the creche. The Sunday School offertory "Bless These Gifts" was sung by the whole Sunday School.

Sunday afternoon and Sunday School Choir presented the pageant at Edward Street Manor and Stirling Towers. In the absence of Danny Clarke, Lynn Murray sang the solo part of "I Saw Three Ships" and Peggy Morgan sang "Away in a Manger." The choir was accompanied by Miss Sandra LaChappelle on the guitar.

After their performances at the nursing homes, the children presented a card or decoration they had made to each resident.

Thursday afternoon, December 17, the choir will perform their pageant at the Senior Citizens Club.

The Sunday School choir is made up of all girls and boys seven years and over. They sang for the first time in October of this year. Members of the choir are: Kim Alexander, Laurie Alexander, Scott Alexander, Jacqueline Barrett, Stephen Barrie, Margie Barnard, Danny Clarke, Ronnie Clarke, Holly Cooke, Sandra Edgars, Chris McGee, Roger McGee, Denise Morgan, Peggy Morgan, Lynne Murray, Kathy Reid, Helen Rose, Colleen Sine, Patti Tanner and Carl Weatherell.

Five seeking warden's chair

The 1971 wardenship for Hastings County is in great demand.

This was indicated last week when, at noon luncheon on the last day of their December session, no less than five county reeves announced they would be in the running for the warden's chair in January.

Aspirants for the job of heading county council next year are Tweed Reeve Barbara Allen; Merton Hamm of Limerick; Carman Gibson of Tyendinaga; Jack Bush of Sidney and Kenneth Smith of Elzevir and Grimsthorpe.

Of the five aspirants, Limerick Reeve Merton Hamm has the longest experience on county council. With a break away from county council a few years ago, Reeve Hamm is now commencing his ninth year as head of his municipal council.

The next longest county council service of the five aspirants belongs to Reeve Gibson who has been reeve and deputy reeve for six years.

Reeves Barbara Allen, Jack Bush and Kenneth Smith are commencing their fifth year at county council.

This year's warden, John Wilkes of Marmora will continue as head of county council for the balance of 1970 and until the middle of January when council meets for its 1971 inaugural session.

Local students participate in recital

Miss Betty Reid, Springbrook; Miss Margaret Hoard, R.R. 3, Stirling and Master Brian Kerby, R.R. 2, Stirling, students from the class of Mrs. Harold Elliott, A.T.C.M., participated at the recital of the Ontario Registered Music Teachers' Association, Belleville branch, held Saturday evening at Sir Winston Churchill School, Belleville.

Others attending the recital were Mrs. James Hoard, Miss Hilda Talsma, Mrs. Gerald Kerby and her sons Jerry and Peter.

Accountants hear speaker

M. Stotesbury, C.A., of Geo. Welch & Co., addressed the Quinte Chapter of the Society of Industrial Accountants at its meeting of December 7, on Internal/External Auditing.

He emphasized the importance of the auditor's job in ascertaining the system in use and testing it and commented on it in the light of good accounting principles.

Both internal and external audits are carried out to test methods used and to ensure that the books reflect the actual activities of the organization.

After the question period, Frank Harvie, Manager of the East End Bank of Montreal thanked the speaker.

News-Argus subscriptions going up 50¢

A slight increase in the subscription rate of the Stirling News-Argus will come into effect on January 1, 1970.

The new rate will be $4.50 per year in Canada and $5.00 per year in the United States and other countries.

Single copies will remain at 10 cents each, although several weekly newspapers, including the Gananoque Reporter and the Etobicoke Advertiser-Guardian have increased their newsstand price to 15 cents.

All subscriptions received prior to December 31, 1970, will be accepted at the present rate of $4.00 for Canada and $4.50 for other countries.

As a special year-end offer, the News-Argus invites readers to pay their subscriptions ahead between now and the end of December, for as long a period as desired, at the present rate.

Check your label, please

The mailing lists of the News-Argus have been revised and subscribers are requested to look at the yellow label on their paper to see whether the date of expiry is correct. If the label reads before January, 1971, you are in arrears and we would appreciate hearing from you at once. Postal regulations make it mandatory for us to have subscriptions paid for in advance. Should the date on the label be in error, please notify this office at once and it will be corrected.

Tweed News goes offset

The Tweed News this week becomes the third weekly newspaper in Hastings County to be printed by the photo offset method. The Quinte Scanner in Deseronto and the Stirling News-Argus are the other two.

The management of the Tweed News announced in last week's edition that the paper would in future be printed on an offset press at the Trentonian in Trenton, which also prints the Scanner and the Campbellford Herald. The News-Argus is printed at the Cobourg Sentinel-Star.

No News-Argus week of Dec. 30

The next edition of the News-Argus will be our Christmas Greeting issue, published at the regular time on Wednesday.

Businesses and individuals wishing to place a greeting in this issue are asked to submit their messages by Friday of this week, if possible.

The News-Argus will not be published between Christmas and New Year's. Regular publication will be resumed with the Jan. 6 edition.

DRAG TRENT FOR SPRINGBROOK MAN

CAMPBELLFORD-Members of of the police and fire departments here have been dragging the Trent River for the body of a Springbrook man believed drowned in the river on Sunday.

Clifford Vance Wannamaker, 60, of Springbrook, who had been visiting his brother Arthur Wannamaker, Front St., Campbellford, disappeared Sunday evening. He had left his brother's house between 7 and 7:30, saying he was going out to purchase some tobacco.

Footprints, found in the snow and identified as those of the missing man, led from the home to the river edge. A three-quarter length coat was found at the edge of the water and was identified as belonging to the missing man.

H-M-M-M, NOW WHAT WAS IT I WAS GOING TO ASK SANTA FOR?

Children from Stirling and surrounding area thronged to the downtown area Saturday afternoon to greet Santa Claus as he made his annual pre-Christmas visit. They were rewarded with a bag of treats and a traditional Ho-Ho-Ho from the jolly old man.

Hastings County Riders banquet and awards night

The Hastings County Riders held their annual Christmas banquet and awards night on December 5 at the Lower Trent Valley Fish and Game Club. Vagn Lange of Trenton was Master of Ceremonies.

Seventeen trophies were presented and winners were as follows:

High Point Jr. Performance Horse, tropny donated by Stone Haven Stables, Joan Evans.

High Point Jr. Games Horse, trophy donated by William Jensen and family, Susan Smith.

High Point Club Performance Horse, trophy donated by Weiger de Jong Construction Co., Wayne Shaw.

High Point Club Games Horse, trophy donated by Stirling News-Argus, Keith Bamber.

High Point Open Show Performance Horse, trophy donated by Ray's Shoe Repair, Wayne Shaw.

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High Point Competitive Trail Ride, trophy donated by Elaine Footwear Ltd., Douglas MacDonald.

High Point Barrel Race, trophy donated by Gulf Oil Canada Ltd., Wayne Shaw.

High Point Pole Bending, trophy donated by Bert Jones Bus Sales, Keith Bamber.

High Point Western Pleasure, trophy donated by Tweed Feel Mill and Stirling Farm Supplies, Wayne Shaw.

High Point Pickup Race, trophy donated by Foxboro District Co-Op Association, Susan Smith.

High Point Stock Horse, trophy donated by Ted's Tack Shop, Wayne Shaw.

High Point Combination Race, trophy donated by Riverside Construction, Art Wright.

High Point Reining Class, trophy donated by Patterson's Men's Wear, Wayne Shaw.

High Point Special Event, trophy donated by Claude Trumble Construction, Keith Bamber.

High Point Flag Race, trophy donated by Stirling Machine Shop Ltd., Wayne Shaw.

High Point Western Equitation, trophy donated by Cedar Brae Ranch, Wayne Shaw.

Following dinner and trophy presentations everyone enjoyed dancing to the music of the Starlite Trio plus One.

Officers for 1971 are as follows:

President, Wayne Shaw.
Vice-president, Richard Hatch.
Secretary, Mrs. Glen Floud.
Treasurer, Jeen de Jong.

Letter to the editor

Dear Sir:

Infectious Hepatitis, popularly called Yellow Jaunice has been for some time prevalent in some localities within this Health Unit. The disease is usually very mild but difficult to prevent from spreading. Common sense, cleanliness and other sanitational measures produce often good results. Checking on drinking water is of course done as far as communal water supplies and analysis of water from private wells can be done on request.

The disease is most probably caused by a virus spreading from person to person by personal contact and also by contamination of water supplies as well as by usage of non hygienic toilets.

Drastic measures like closing of schools do not stop the infection from spreading, and are not advocated by experts. Neither are massive injections which are of doubtful value and not devoid of dangers.

Most of the adults and many children go through the disease in so mild form that it is not noticed and are immune for life.

Generally every case of jaundice should be seen by a physician who can also, if he thinks it necessary, take proper steps with regards to immediate family contacts.

C. Lenk,
M.D., D.P.H., C.R.C.P.(C)
Medical Officer of Health
Hastings & Prince Edward
Counties Health Unit.

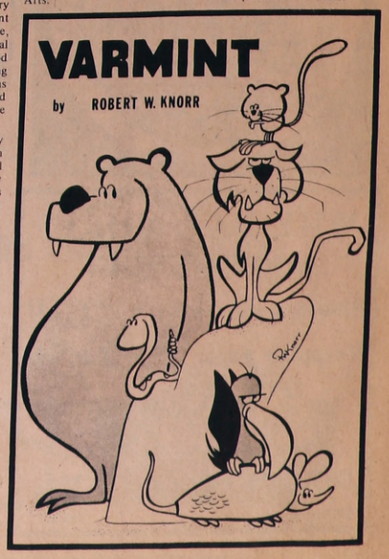
Argus introduces a new comic strip

Beginning today, the Stirling News-Argus will feature a new weekly comic strip entitled "Varmint".

"Varmint" creator Robert Knorr from Rensselaer, Indiana has a varied background of drawing and newspaper work. He has drawn editorial cartoons and greeting cards, worked at advertising agencies, commercial art and animation studios, and is a former employee of the Chicago Tribune editorial department. His is a U. S. Army veteran and a 1965 graduate of the Chicago Academy of Fine Arts.

"Varmint" features Melvin, the crazy mountain lion; Rufus, the lonely and unloved rattlesnake; Winston, the weight-conscious wart hog; Vincent, the only vulture in the world with a black belt in karate; and other animals including a bear, kangaroo rat, armadillo and coyote. It is a sophisticated comic strip featuring some slapstick humor as well as topical and sophisticated humor.

"Varmint" will appear in the News-Argus every week and we are quite sure the readers will enjoy the antics of these wild and sophisticated animals.



COLD WATER SURVIVAL

A hunter's heavy clothing can serve as a diver's wet suit. If his boat capsizes in cold water, a hunter should not remove his clothing, but tighten it at neck, wrists, waist and ankles.

BUSH S.O.S.

The standard sign of distress in the forest is a set of three signals – three flashes of light, three smoking fires, or three rifle shots. The reply is a set of two signals.

RIVER VALLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

January 7th, 1971-hostess Mrs. Vernon Harry, Canadian Industries.

topic-Growth of our Tourist Industry in Hastings County.

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And many a failure turns about,
When he might have won had he stuck it out.
Don't give up though the pace seems slow.
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Men's Monday night league

GAMES 225 AND OVER

Ray Post, 245, 290; Barrie Wilson, 225; Tom Hudson, 237; Ron McCory, 237; Bill Kelly, 225; Tom Kovack, 295; Bob Corbett, 225; Bob Robertson, 256; Glen Bird, 250, 258; Walter Vanderkooy, 248, Don McCary, 257; George Noble, 244, 254, 237 (H.T. 735); Ralph Scea, 297 (H.S.); Al Boersma, 239; Wayne Roe, 244 (H.A. 224).

Team	Pts. Week	Standing
Legion	5	37
Odds & Ends	5	69
Maple Leafs	2	51
Good Guys	5	33
Wild Willys	2	38
Alley Cats	2	45

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A high percentage of accidents which occur with firearms are in homes, camps, boats or while target shooting and are not involved with the process of hunting.

Wednesday Ladies Bowling

Dec. 9

Ivy Poste's Lucky 7 took 7 points from the Drop Outs. Doreen Platford's Starlites were 5-2 winners over Joan Rankin's Dew Drops.

Points to date – Drop Outs 16; Lucky 7 52; Starlites 43; Dew Drops 29.

Group 'A' (150 average and up) high single, triple and average. Sylvia Edgar, 268, 706, 194.

Group 'B' (149 average and under) high single, Betty Johnson, 228; high triple, Connie Donohoe, 580.

Other good games – Marlene Fraser, 231; Vereen Kosmack, 212; Ivy Poste, 216; Connie Donohoe, 213, 202; Doreen Platford, 209; Iva Howard, 220; Sylvia Edgar, 239.

MUSIC FESTIVAL AT CAMPBELLFORD

It has been announced that the Northumberland Music Festival for 1971 will be held in Campbellford. Dates set for the event are May 3 to May 8. R. Geen will again be one of the adjudicators.

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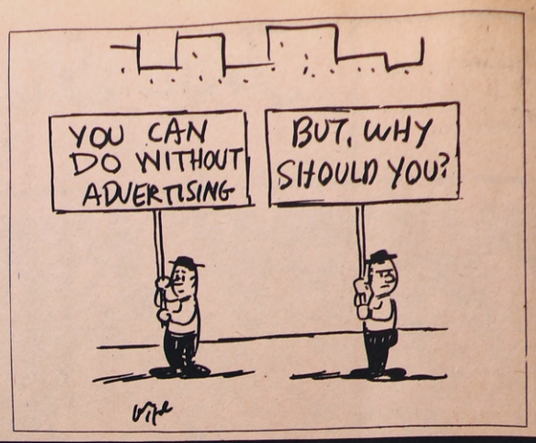

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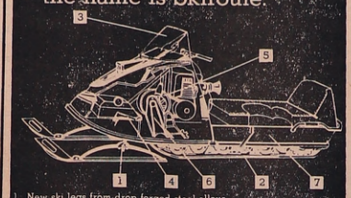

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Taylor Caldwell's new best seller "Great Lion of God" is a dramatic and colorful recreation of the life of St. Paul.

Nadine Gordimer's "A Guest of Honour" is a novel set in contemporary South Africa, giving the reader a picture of the problems and progress of the emerging nations there.

"I Heard the Owl Call My Name" by Margaret Craven is a little book that carries the reader into the life of the Tsawataineuk tribe of British Columbia. The poetic style of the writing perfectly describes the ageless quality of life lived close to nature, and yet, even here, progress brings problems from which there is no return.

"The Great Fur Opera" by Kildare Dobbs, is the story of the Hudson's Bay Company, illustrated by Ronald Searle, and told in colorful and amusing style.

"The Motor Racing Story" by Richard Garrett is a fascinating book telling the story of motor racing from the birth of the horseless carriage to the present day, and is packed with exciting espisodes and personalities.

For younger readers, "A Car Called Camellia" by Patrick O'Connor is an exciting story of racing and "Look Through My Window" by Jean Little will become a favourite, as did her "Mine For Keeps." "The Trumpet of the Swan" by E. B. White is the story of Louis, a Trumpeter Swan who came into the world lacking a voice. The story of his courage will find a place among this author's well loved "Charlotte's Web" and "Stuart Little."

In "The Magical Miss Mittens" Lyn Cook takes three Nova Scotian children on a series of adventures into the past, where, during a strange winter, they participate in many major historical events and meet some of the most famous people in man's history.

For hockey fans – "Rookie Goalie, Gerry Desjardins" by Bill Libby, and "Bobby Orr and the Big, Bad Bruins" are action packed accounts with many interesting sidelights on N.H.L. hockey.

"Fishes Dangerous To Man" by Alan Mark Fletcher, gives information on sharks, piranhas and stingrays – what do they have in common? Written for young readers, this book gives many strange examples.

For the picture-book set, "Crow Boy" by Taro Yashima is the story of a strange, shy little boy in a village school in Japan, who was ignored by his classmates until suddenly, and almost too late, they discovered that he had much to give them.

"Granny and the Desperadoes" is another story by Peggy Parish, about that indomitable pioneer, Granny, and her adventures.

This author has also written a "how to" book that is sure to be in demand. "Costumes to Make" gives ideas for easy to make costumes for parties, plays, etc.

Watch for more titles to be listed as they arrive. Until then, Happy Reading!

Mount Pleasant UCW

(By Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

Fifty ladies attended the Christmas meeting of the Mount Pleasant United Church Women on Wednesday evening, December 9.

The hall was decorated with tinsel trees, red candles and an assortment of bells, wreaths, etc. A long table was filled with gifts for exchange and those in attendance received a gift from their unknown friend.

Mrs. Garth Joslin presided and read "A Child is Born." She welcomed the group and opened with a Christmas hymn. Mrs. Milton Shaw was pianist and provided a musical prelude.

Mrs. Raymond McConnell read the minutes in the absence of the secretary.

Since April the roll call has been answered with the visiting report. The various members have made 275 calls in homes and hospitals.

Mrs. Herbert Smith read the correspondence which included thanks for assistance during the year at Hastings Manor and a donation to the Retarded Wingfield School, which is the former Allan Public School at Mount Pleasant. All of the older folk will be remembered with a card of greeting for the Christmas season. It was decided to continue with the Tuck Shop at Hastings Manor every fourth week in 1971.

The financial statement was presented by Mrs. Burton Sharpe and Mrs. Robert Merrick reported for November catering.

The programs were distributed with the list of committee members for the new year.

The next meeting will be in the evening on January 13 with a dessert luncheon and an invitation to bring a friend.

Mrs. George Grills and Mrs. Robert H. Hoard displayed the 4-H Club project, Working With Wool. Three girls, Margaret Hoard, Debbie David and Janet Cousens displayed their record books and sewing materials for all to view. The leaders received spoons on Achievement Day in Belleville.

Mrs. Donald Knight and Mrs. Ira David presided over the program which they had arranged.

Mrs. Burton Sharpe read the Bible lesson and Mrs. Don Campbell read "A Christmas Story". Mrs. Ross Jeffs read "No Room in the Inn" and Mrs. David closed the devotional with a prayer.

The offering was gathered by Mrs. Ralph Jeffs and Mrs. George Grills and dedicated by Mrs. H. Smith.

A few carols were sung and Mrs. Vernon Harry read "A Message of the Christmas Candle."

Mrs. James Hoard and Mrs. Robert Hoard sang "O Holy Night" with Miss Margaret Hoard as accompanist.

A quartet composed of Mrs. Mac Sharp, Mrs. Claire Knight, Mrs. Garth Joslin and Mrs. Milton Shaw sang several Christmas carols with Mrs. Will Jeffs as accompanist.

The president closed with a prayer for the new year. Those on the committee then distributed gifts from unknown friends. This year a surprise was in store for four members who had a record of attendance. These gifts were donated by a special friend.

Long tables, attractively decorated, were in evidence and the group was served Christmas pudding and sauce by the refreshment committee, Mrs. Oscar Merrick and Mrs. Norman McConnell.

At the close of the social hour, Mrs. Robert H. Hoard voiced appreciative thanks to Ruth for her year of leadership.

Rylstone

(By Mrs. Ellis Jones)

Mrs. Cora Reid was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Fitchett in Campbellford on Wednesday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mason, Scarborough, Don Heath, Oakville and Miss Blanche Gibson, Campbellford.

A. Delandrea of North Bay has been conducting special meetings at the Gospel Chapel during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Finch and children of Trent River were Sunday visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Finch and family.

Tommie Thomson of Ottawa spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Torrance and Tracey of Scarborough, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Stewart and Maureen.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petherick were Sunday guests of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Jackson and family at Oshawa.

Mrs. Cora Reid and Mr. A. Delandrea were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath on Thursday.

We are sorry that the name of Wesley Finch was missed in the account of acclamations for Rawdon Council in the last issue. Wesley is also a Rylstone boy and has spent his entire life here and our community is pleased to have him on the council.

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IGA DRY, NORMAL, EGG OR CREME RINSE SHAMPOO 32-OZ. PLASTIC BTL. 57¢

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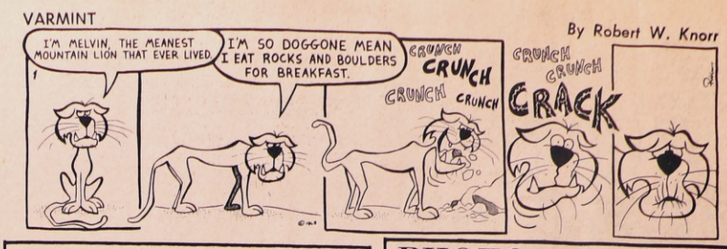
By Robert W. Knorr



CLASS OF 1918: S.S. No. 19, RAWDON, TWP.

The group of young people above are members of the class of 1918 at Rawdon Township S.S. No. 19. The teacher is Agnes Stout. Top row (left to right) Cleo Bedell, Melville E. Heagle, Vincent Cain, Frank Hagerman, Creighton Johnston, Thomas Clements, (second row) James Johnston, Vernon Johnston, Vincent Farrell, Leslie Kingston, Francis Jeffrey, (third row) W. J. Burton Heagle, Donald Cain, Jemie Johnston, Marjoray Clement, Vera Kingston, Edna F. Heagle, James Rayan Delbert Sine, (fourth row) Terasa Johnston, Mary Farrell, Margaret Kingston, Vera M. Heagle, Helen Clements, Ida Vance. Picture donated by M. E. Heagle.

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A SINCERE THANK YOU TO ALL THOSE WHO SUPPORTED ME IN THE DEC. 7 ELECTION
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Card party

Rylstone Women's Institute held their third card party on Saturday evening, December 5 at the W. I. Hall.

There were nine tables played. Gent's high score went to Alfred Akins, Rylstone. Men's low prize to Steven Thomson. Ladies' high score was won by Mrs. Alfred Akins and women's low score by Shirley Grills of Glen Ross.

The players coming the longest distance were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Genereaux of Glen Ross.

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by Margaret Brookfield

A FORUM ABOUT MATURE WOMEN

Dear Miss Brookfield:

I am 45 and my husband is 48. We get along just fine and have for years. But lately there's been so much talk about marriage manuals and how-to books on sex, I wonder if we're missing something. Do you think we should buy one?

J.R., Saugus, Mass.

Dear J.R.:

Getting along just fine is what marriage manuals are supposed to be all about. Dr. Stephen Weiger, Senior Psychologist at the Toronto Psychiatric Hospital, says that most of the troubled couples who come to see him for counselling "have read three or four books on how to make love and have been so damaged by them, they're forced to seek professional help." And novelist John Fowles summed it up when he said: "To teach the physiology of sex without the psychology of love is to teach all about a ship except how to steer it." Of course, there are marriage manuals and marriage manuals. Some are reputable; others are not. Look them over if you're curious. (But if you've got a good thing going, who needs trouble?)

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SORRY

Dear Miss Brookfield:

After reading your recent column, I should like to correspond with L. D. of San Francisco. I think he and I would get on well together. I also know what it's like to be lonely.

P.R., Duluth, Minn.

Dear P.R.:

We often get requests from readers asking to correspond with others whose problems they feel are similar to their own. Unfortunately, we're not permitted to give out names and addresses. We'd like to help, and we're sorry we can't.

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DOING YOUR HOMEWORK

Dear Miss Brookfield:

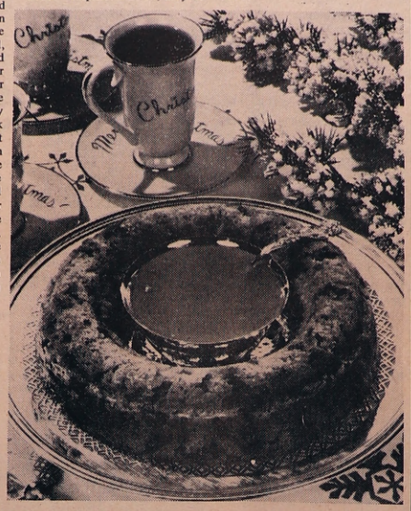
I was graduated from high school 15 years ago and married almost immediately after. I have three children now, ranging in age from eight to 12. Since they no longer need the same kind of care they did when they were little, I feel I'd like to start improving my mind with some kind of correspondence course. Could you advise me on this?

L.A., Brighton, Colo.

Dear L.A.:

There are two pamphlets that might prove useful. The first lists accredited schools for home study. The second provides information on continuing education programs and services for women. The first, called "Directory of Accredited Home Study Schools," is available free from the Accrediting Commission, National Home Study Council, 1601 Eighteenth Street N.W., Washington, D.C. 20009. The second "Continuing Education Programs and Services for Women,' (U.S. Dept. of Labor Pamphlet No. 10) may be obtained by writing the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Govt. Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402 – with 40 cents enclosed.

Have you a problem as a mature woman, or with one? For advice and help, write to Margaret Brookfield, Information Centre on the Mature Woman, 3 West 57th Street, New York, N.Y. 10019.



The traditions of Christmas

Christmas Eve, down through the ages, has come to mean just as much as Christmas Day to many people. The tradition, very prevalent today in Canada, is to attend midnight mass or services, come home, and have a light after-midnight snack, then open the Christmas presents which have been placed under the tree.

According to the Bakery Foods Foundation of Canada home economists one of the best ways to celebrate Christmas Eve is with a warmed steamed Tutti-Frutti Pudding accompanied by hot Lemon-Nutmeg Sauce. Your pudding should be made several weeks ahead of Christmas. Serving the Pudding on a silver platter, with the sauce in a small silver serving dish, adds to the atmosphere of warmth which one feels on Christmas Eve.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE WHO SUPPORTED ME IN THE ELECTION DEC. 7. I WISH EVERYBODY A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR.

FRED BRANDT

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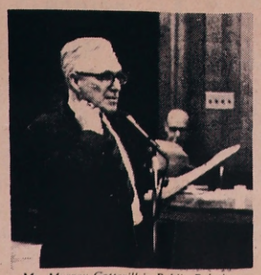

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Read the booklet. Keep it handy. And if you see an advertisement that you think breaks or seriously bends the rules, fill in and mail the complaint notice enclosed with the Code booklet.

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The leader, Mrs. B. Stapley, expressed greetings to all, and read a quotation about reflecting the Christ life.

Items of business included plans for a Christmas project to be worked on on Dec. 21, at 1 p.m. The 1971 budget was read and explained.

A devotional led by Mrs. H. Wells, assisted by Mrs. Clarence Fitchett and Mrs. R. N. Smith, included carols, scripture readings, candle-lighting, prayers, a solo by Mrs. H. West and a reading about keeping Christmas, as well as merely observing it on the day.

A Christmas program was presented on "The Twelve Days of Christmas" in which questions asked by Mrs. H. West and Mrs. R. N. Smith were answered by Mrs. Wm. McMullen about ancient legends and customs. It was interesting to hear how Christmas observance was suspended in England for a time by law while Oliver Cromwell and the Puritans were in power, then revived under the influence of Charles Dickens.

The first Christmas tree in England was introduced by Queen Victoria's husband from Germany. Christmas was not always observed on Dec. 25, but this date was chosen to coincide with a pagan festival for sun-worship.

Mrs. Clarence Fitchett read a poem on "Some Time During Christmas", when we should contemplate the real meaning and beauties of the season. Mrs. Harlow expressed thanks to all who had helped with the luncheon and the program. The meeting closed with "Silent Night" and prayer led by Mrs. Brooks.

ALEXANDER H. MAGUIRE

Funeral service for Alexander H. Maguire was held Thursday afternoon in the Grant Funeral Home. Interment was in the Belleville Cemetery. Rev. Dr. H. M. Davis officiated.

The bearers were Archie Greatrix, Bryce Philip, Stanley Hayton, Alfred Wickett, Bryson Leslie and Raymond Gunsolus.

IT'S AN ANNUAL THING

Many area groups and organizations are holding their annual Christmas party this month. The Stirling Senior Citizens Club met last Thursday at the I.O.O.F. hall for their pre-Christmas dinner. A large quantity of turkey and trimmings was reported to have vanished during the dinner hour.

Letter to the editor

Finch, Ont.
Dec. 8, 1970.

Stirling News,
Stirling, Ontario.

Sir:

I hope everyone saw the film on TV (Take Thirty) on Nov. 5th which illustrated a most barbaric and atrocious way in which Canadian fur-bearing animals are trapped.

I urge people to please write to their Members of Parliament urging them to institute a program that will bring about the elimination of the leg-hold traps as soon as possible, as this situation on our trap lines is socially unacceptable in an enlightened country like this.

There is absolutely no valid reason for such unnecessary cruelty, as there are humane traps available to trappers now, and more research is in progress to develop others.

There is no reason for Canada to be so far behind other countries which have abolished leg-hold traps many years ago.

Anyone wishing further information about humane traps, write to the Canadian Association for Humane Trapping, Box 934, Station F, Toronto 5, Ontario.

J. Bicks.

Lost and found

The two large turkeys, about a tub of dressing, pails of salads jellos and vegetables are missing along with about two dozen pies from the Senior Citizens Club room on Thursday, the day of their pre-Christmas dinner. This loss has since been traced to 53 Senior Citizens' homes and found in a terribly masticated condition. dis ole Scribe hopes there were no casualties.

Roy Lewis, the efficient photographer from the News-Argus, called with his shooting irons and took a few shots at us. We were happy that Roy stopped long enough with us for some dessert and coffee. Come again, Roy.

Our local jeweller was cleaning a dust proof watch and found a louse in it. (I guess it must have crawled in between the ticks.)

STILL MISSING

We now have only 23 letters in our alphabet — they don't know where to find the F.L.Q.

dis ole Scribe.

MRS. WILLIAM MITTS

Funeral service for Mrs. Orpha May Mitts who had been residing at the Edward Street Nursing Home in Stirling was held December 9 in the Rowe Funeral Home. Rev. John Weese officiated. Interment was in the Frankford Cemetery.

Bearers were Harry Lohnes, Ray Moran, Raymond Rowe, Hubert Howard, Ray Plumton and George Spencer.

Mrs. Mitts died December 6 in Edward Street Nursing Home after a lengthy illness. She was in her 86th year.

Born in Frankford, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hubble of Frankford and was a member of Frankford United Church.

She is survived by one brother, Lee Hubble of Frankford and one sister, Hildred Hubble of Frankford.

She was predeceased by her husband, William.

Wellman's Corners

(By Mrs. Victor Graham)

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Cox, Craig and Shawn of Stirling were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunham and Grant.

Quite a large number attended the Christmas concert in the Institute hall on Saturday evening.

We wish to extend congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, who were married 64 years December 12. Mrs. Scott also celebrated her 89th birthday on December 9.

Friends at Wellman's are sorry to hear that Mr. Russell Johnson is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

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The Stirling News-Argus

— SECOND SECTION —

THE STIRLING NEWS-ARGUS, Wednesday, December 16, 1970 7

Council holds regular meeting

A regular meeting of Stirling village council was held on December 2. All members were present except Maurice Faulkner.

Minutes of the last regular meeting were approved on motion by Brandt and Trumble.

The clerk read the following correspondence: Lower Trent Region Conservation Authority, re work on Rawdon Creek; Ontario Housing Corporation, re Senion Citizen units; Department of Municipal Affairs, re supplementary tax assistance; Department of Highways, re interim roads and streets subsidy; Hastings and Prince Edward Health Unit, re water sample; Department of Municipal Affairs, re Planning Act; Department of Municipal Affairs, re proposed Quinte Planning Area; Clarke T. Rollins, re letter of November 17; Minister of Justice, re transportation of prisoners; G. H. Hogle, re taxes and penalties; Hastings and Prince Edward Assessment Office, re farm rebate; G. Leighton Thompson, Hastings Prince Edward Assessment Office, C.C.; George Rhynsburger's monthly report.

Motion by Anderson and Brandt that the letter from G. H. Hogle and Hastings and Prince Edward Assessment Office be received and filed.

Motion by Trumble and Brandt that the bylaw officer's report be received and filed.

Motion by Anderson and Trumble that the balance of the correspondence be received and filed.

Motion by Brandt and Trumble that the Village of Stirling reimburse Mr. Allan Lawes in the amount of $150.00 toward the cost of removing one elm tree.

Clerk was instructed to write to Post Master General's Office and lodge a complaint regarding the placing of mail boxes on the village streets which he felt could cause a hazard to traffic and snow ploughing.

Discussion regarding lateral connections and the billing of road accounts at the end of each month, also garbage collection for schools.

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Energetic bowling league

Dec. 4: In Group 'A', Lenora West had the high single of 238, high triple of 639 and high average of 200.

In Group 'B', Mary Cooke had high single, 214 and high triple, 526.

Other good games – Hilda Rose, 201, 203, 208; Bev. Adams, 204, 219; Lois Gibson, 205, 222; Lenora West, 211; Elsie O'Brien, 201.

Dec. 11: In Group 'A', June Knapton had high single, 278; Elsie O'Brien, high triple of 596; Lenora West, high average, 199.

In Group 'B', Luella Bronson and Nellie McIntosh had the high single, 192; Luella Bronson, high triple, 490.

Other good games – Lenora West, 248; Verna Woodbeck, 216; Hilda Rose, 264; Elsie O'Brien, 223, 232; Pat Harris, 223.

Team Standings – Go Go's, 56; Barbie Dolls, 42; Teasers, 36, Happy Mixers, 34.

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DIET PROBLEMS

Jean-Guy Forcier, Agincourt, is not quite a year old and he's been in the hospital off and on since he was born. He can't eat normal baby foods -- milk is just one of the many things his system can't tolerate. More than 773,000 laboratory tests are made at the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, each year in an effort to find the cause and cure of children's diseases. To help the hospital continue its research, send your contribution to The Hospital for Sick Children, Box 440, Station Q, Toronto, Ont.

DOLLARS AND GOOD SENSE

By William J. Martin

Mr. Martin serves as special consultant to Avco Financial Services. All questions should be sent to him at P.O. Box 5875, London, Ontario, Canada. Those containing a name and address will be answered in this column or by direct return mail. No names will be used in print.

I've been saying for some time that good family money management education is urgently needed for all families, including the wealthy. The public's interest in the subject was recently dramatized following a local television program in Washington, D.C.

An executive of the U. S. National Consumer Finance Association was a guest speaker on an interview show and answered questions concerning the consumer finance field and discussed family money management.

Immediately after the broadcast, viewers began calling the local television station at an unprecedented rate and also deluged the association's office seeking more information on money management education.

The program was so well received by viewers that further broadcasts are being considered.

Of all the subjects being taught in our schools, money management and family budget planning is sorely neglected and greatly needed. As the Washington incident attests, it is also strongly desired.

All families need and want some basic advice on how to handle their money and how to get the most out of their spending power.

As I've reported in this column, everyone needs a plan to control spending and forecast individual financial needs. The plan can be as detailed or as general as you like – as long as it is effective for you.

Planning alone is not enough, however. You must understand a little about our finance and credit systems and know how to spend your money to make it pay for as much as it can.

There are professional money management consultants in most areas and many lenders offer such services free of charge. As more and more people realize the need for good money management education, this service will be more readily available to a greater number of people and may work its way into our schools as a required course of instruction.

Merrie Bowlers league results

Dec. 2

Grace Donohoe rolled high single of 270 on the Wednesday afternoon ladies league. Linda Barron had high triple of 604. Linda holds high average for the season of 185.

Other good games bowled were: Marg. Keating, 243; Nellie Smith, 212; Ruth Glover, 218, 221; Linda Barron, 205, 223.

Dec. 9

Dilly Montgomery bowled the high single of 270 on the Wednesday p.m. bowling league.

Linda Barron has the high triple of 612 and season's average of 188.

Over 200 games were by Betty LaRue, 244; Barb Noble, 237, 204; Linda Barron, 201, 224; Grace Donohoe, 232; Ruth Glover, 218.

THE BIBLE TODAY

The introduction to the Constitution of the newly founded Church of Christ in Congo contains the following tribute to the Bible:

"We wish to thank the missionaries and be grateful to God because, in spite of different tendencies among the missionaries, they have presented the people of Congo with the Holy Word of God, the Bible. All over Congo, each mission has stressed biblical reading and knowledge. Missionaries gave their doctrine and theology a second place, presenting to the Congolese the Bible as the foundation of everything. We are grateful to the Lord Who permitted, in all our communities everywhere, the Gospel to be the heart and the very foundation of the life of the Church. Thanks to this power of the Word of God has worked the miracle of transforming thousands of Congolese. Everywhere in our country huge numbers of Christians are found touched and transformed by the Word of God. This belief and the respect for the divine Word are the solid base for our unity."

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Highlights from our Annual Report

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Estates, Trusts and Agencies	58,276,428	52,618,993
Total Assets under Administration	502,032,740	445,426,337
Guaranteed Investment Certificates	319,864,709	275,302,084
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Earnings per common share	1.59	1.36

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The Government of Ontario's Tax Assistance Plan is helping the elderly. Cheques have already been sent to more than 230,000 people: and many will soon receive additional assistance.

Paying taxes is tough for everyone.

But some people have a particularly difficult time. Like the elderly. They are hard-pressed by rising property taxes.

To help lighten their load, the Government has introduced a new plan. It is called 1970 Tax Assistance for the Elderly.

The plan will pay out up to $100 to help elderly people – those who receive the Federal Guaranteed Income Supplement – to help pay their property taxes, or rent.

In all, more than 230,000 persons across Ontario will receive $17 million in benefits.

1970 Tax Assistance for the elderly is an immediate step to relieve the pressure of property taxes. And an important one.

GOVERNMENT OF ONTARIO
Department of Municipal Affairs
W. Darcy McKeough, Minister.

Bethel UCW

The Christmas meeting of Bethel U.C.W. was held on Dec. 10 at the home of Mrs. Earl Ketchen. Mrs. H. Holden welcomed those present and read a poem, "Light an Advent Candle." The hymn "It Came Upon The Midnight Clear" was followed by prayer.

The roll call was answered with the name of a favourite Christmas carol and donation towards Christmas gifts. There were 24 members, four visitors and four small children present.

Mrs. Wickens read the minutes of the last meeting and correspondence. A large bale of used clothing was packed. $400.00 was suggested as the allocation for 1971. An exchange of names for a "Sunshine Sister" was considered. There will be a pot luck dinner in January.

Mrs. J. Carlisle gave the report of the nominating committee: past president – Mrs. H. Holden; president – Mrs. G. Russett; 1st vice-president – Mrs. E. Ketchen; 2nd vice-president – Mrs. G. Clancy; secretary – Mrs. M. Wickens; treasurer – Mrs. J. Carlisle; pianist – Mrs. H. Elliott; assist. pianist – Mrs. V. Hagerman.

A vote of thanks was expressed to Mrs. Holden for her work as president.

Mrs. G. Clancy read the call to worship, followed by a hymn. The story of the first Christmas was given in song and scripture. The readers of scripture were Mrs. G. Clancy, Mrs. W. Cox, Mrs. G. Russett, Mrs. E. Sine, Mrs. O. Jackson and Mrs. J. Pollock. With Mrs. Elliott at the piano, the carols sung were "O Little Town of Bethlehem", "Silent Night", "Angels from the Realms of Glory", "The First Noel", "As With Gladness" and "Joy to the World".

The offering was received and dedicated. Mrs. Clancy thanked those who had helped with her worship service.

Biff Waters with his guitar, entertained with a medley of songs including "Have Yourself A Very Merry Christmas." He was thanked by Mrs. Ketchen and the meeting closed with the benediction.

The hostess and helpers served a tasty lunch and a social time was enjoyed. Mrs. J. Pollock thanked the hostess and her committee.

Frankford Trimettes

Barbara Noble opened her home to the Trimettes for their annual Christmas party. A delicious meal was served of turkey and salads. Gifts were exchanged. Everyone enjoyed the evening.

For the month of November, Mary Glidden was Princess with a loss of seven pounds. Margaret Mackay was high loser for the week with three pounds. Thirteen members were present.

Jeffs - Davidse

Mount Pleasant United Church, Rawdon, was decorated with baskets of pink gladioli and giant white 'mums and the guest pews were designated with white satin bows for a pretty double-ring ceremony on Saturday, November 7, at 2 p.m. when Cornelia Jacomina Davidse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Davidse, R. R. 4, Campbellford, became the bride of Howard William Jeffs, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Jeffs, R. R. 3, Stirling. Rev. W. C. Cox, B.A., officiated.

Mrs. Ronald Barnum, Waterloo, Ont., played traditional wedding music and accompanied the soloist, Rev. Ronald Barnum, who sang "The Wedding Prayer" before the ceremony and "Oh Perfect Love" during the signing of the register.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a fitted long, white velvet wedding gown. The dress featured a mandarin collar, short sleeves and a flowing train. Her shoulder length veil was caught to an arrangement of white velvet roses and she carried a cascade of red American beauty roses and fern.

Miss Ruby Johnson of New York was maid of honor, attired in a formal length royal blue velvet gown and carried a cascade of pink 'mums.

The bridesmaids, Mrs. John Ferguson, sister of the groom, Picton, Ont., and Mrs. Bernard Laffan, friend of the bride, Toronto, were identically attired in long cerise velvet gowns and carried cascades of blue 'mums.

The little flower girls, Miss Tracy Ferguson, niece of the groom and Miss Pamela Van de Steeg, Miss Rhonda Spillman, Miss Jeanette Richardson, nieces of the bride, were attired alike in dresses of rose velvet and carried baskets of blue 'mums. The bride's attendants all wore matching flowers in their hair. Master Robert John Van de Steeg was ring bearer. Mr. Paul Jeffs attended the bridegroom and Mr. John Ferguson and Mr. Douglas Potts were ushers.

The reception followed in the church hall with Mount Pleasant U.C.W. catering to the wedding dinner.

The bride's mother received in a dress of moss green with beige accessories and wearing a corsage of yellow carnations. She was assisted by the groom's mother wearing a dress of emerald green with matching accessories and a corsage of yellow carnations. A wedding celebration was held later in the evening at George's Restaurant in Campbellford.

The bride chose for travelling to Niagara Falls and Buffalo, a coat and dress ensemble of hot pink crepe and wearing a white orchid. The bride and groom are residing at R.R. 3, Stirling.

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MARSH WORLD

by Angus Shortt Ducks Unlimited

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CENTENNIAL REPORT

A report by Thom Reynolds from Centennial Secondary School, Palmer Road, Belleville

BAND ON CONCERT TOUR

Seven students from the Stirling area accompanied other members of the Centennial Senior Band on a concert tour this past week. The members from Stirling were Lynda Walker, Ruth Lee, Danny Jones, Barry Linn, Paul Jones, Rick Farrell and Elaine Williams.

Sixty-two members in all played concerts at Clarke High School, Newcastle; Fenelon Falls High School; Huntsville High School and Widdiefield Secondary School, North Bay on December 7, 8 and 9.

Accommodation was provided by Ski Jump Lodge, Hwy. 11, Huntsville, for both nights. The group was under the supervision of M. J. Emmerson and I. M. Steele of the Music Department of Centennial. The members of the band returned to Belleville late Wednesday night.

Report cards for Centennial Secondary School will be handled this year by the modern method of computerization for the first time. The computer used is from the Department of Education in Toronto.

Teachers will fill in computer sheets by shading in squares for comments and marks using a number code (example: 121 – good work).

This system was introduced because of the new individual time tables in the school. It saves some work for teachers and makes less confusion in class list.

There is a chance of mistakes in the system, such as a mistake in the computer programming or a mistake in the teacher filling in the wrong squares.

This is just one of the changes made in the new schooling system in Ontario. The computer was introduced to speed the returns of the report cards, but because of some failure, they will be a week late.

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ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Thompson of Roslin wish to announce the engagement of their oldest daughter, Marilyn Jane, to John David Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Patterson of Tweed. Wedding will take place on Thursday, Dec. 31, 1970 in Thomasburg United Church at 10:00 a.m. 48-1

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River Valley UCW

The living room of Edward St Manor was used by the River Valley U.C.W. for their December meeting. Many of the residents of the Manor were present to share the Christmas program.

The leader, Mrs. Jack Bush opened the meeting and expressed the group's happiness to be with the people of the Manor. The general business was reduced to a minimum.

In the stewardship talk, Mrs. Roy Bush reviewed some of the items considered in the past meetings as necessary to be given by Christians in their daily lives. At this time of year, people should show their happiness for Christmas and should express their inward joy with a smile.

The program was entitled "Candles of the Lord". The part of the narrator was taken by Alta Carr; the voice of Revelation by Alice Heasman and the voice of Response by Doris Wells. The Christmas story was revealed by selections read from the prophets and the gospels.

The lighted candle is the most significant of Christmas symbols. Responding spirits to God's light become his candles.

Suitable hymns were sung at intervals, as was the lighting of candles for the spirit of Mary, the spirit of the shepherds and the spirit of the wise men. Excerpts from the letters of St. Paul to his followers, encouraging a continuance of faith, were read. Three more candles were lighted in token of the faith that our spirits may be lighted by the flame of the Holy Spirit.

At the close of the program, a number of carols chosen by the guests were sung. A most pleasant time was spent visiting while lunch was served to all.

CHATTERTON W.I.

The December meeting of the Chatterton W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Albert Carson with 10 members and two visitors present. The president opened the meeting with the Institute Ode followed by the Mary Stewart Collect. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. There was a short business meeting after which all joined in and sang the Christmas hymns.

The president introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Cecil Jeffrey, District president, who gave a number of highlights on coming events in the Institute work; also an interesting address on C. W. W.

A Christmas prayer was read by Mrs. Helen Reid. All joined to sing "Come All Ye Faithful" and "Silent Night." Mrs. Irvine gave a reading of "Please Dear Santa"

The roll call and an exchange of gifts and a gift basket for Christmas was well filled. The meeting closed with the Queen and Institute Grace.

Springbrook

(By Mrs. Malcolm Mason)

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wellman and David and Mr. Percy Bateman were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Barton on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Acker, Oshawa, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reid and family.

Mrs. Harper Bateman visited her daughter, Mrs. Sam McIlwaine, who is a patient at Toronto General Hospital where she underwent surgery, and also visited Mr. Theodore Cooney, Harold, who is a patient at Western Hospital, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Reid and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reid and family, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Reid and family and Mr. Jack Reid and girls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reid on Sunday and celebrated Mrs. Reid's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bateman and Miss Vicki Bateman attended a dinner and dance at the new Shamrock Hotel, Toronto on Saturday evening, sponsored by the Dundas-Glengarry Highlander Regiment.

Mrs. Esther Leonard of Havelock, spent the weekend at her home here.

Ivanhoe Institute

The Christmas meeting of the Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Reg. Haggerty with 10 members and one visitor present. As usual, the president opened with the Institute Ode and Mary Stewart Collect.

Following this, the minutes of the last meeting and correspondence were read.

It was decided to buy a pair of blankets for the Dunning family, who lost their home by fire.

Summary day was discussed, which is to be held on Jan. 11 in the Community Hall at Stirling.

The meeting was turned over to Mrs. John Wallace and she opened with several Christmas carols. Mrs. Wallace gave a talk on the Christmas poinsettia, followed by readings by Edna Tanner, Olive Cooke, Evelyn Pollock, M. Haggerty.

Mrs. Nellie Haggerty played a piano solo and the meeting closed with O Canada, followed by an exchange of gifts and sale of articles brought in to make extra money.

Mrs. Mac Sarles thanked Mrs. Haggerty for opening her home and all those who took part in the program.

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10:00 a.m. – Sunday School

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Presbyterian Women hold meeting

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Women held their meeting at the church on Thursday, December 10 with 20 ladies in attendance. The president, Mrs. Don Fargey opened the meeting by reading an article based on the book of Luke, and another stressing the importance of hope, faith, joy, love and peace, then offered prayer.

The hymn "O Little Town of Bethlehem," was sung with Mrs. Gladys Matthews as musician.

The minutes and correspondence were read by the secretary, Mrs. K. Tompkins.

The ladies decided to pay for two trees for the church for Christmas activities and to purchase a floor covering for the hall in the manse.

The reports of all conveners and the treasurers for the year were given. A bale was sent to Kenora, clothes to the United Church Cupboard, visits were made to sick and home helpers, two quilts were made and sold.

The secretary was instructed to send Christmas cards to shut-ins. The ladies will provide lunch for the carol service, December 20.

Mrs. Silas Boyce read the slate of officers which she had prepared:

Honorary president, Mrs. Roy Taylor.

Past president, Mrs. Don Fargey.

First vice-president, Miss Gena Spry.

Second vice-president, Mrs. J. McIntosh.

Secretary (recording, press and card), Mrs. K. Tompkins.

Treasurer, Miss Gena Spry.

W.M.S. treasurer, Mrs. J. Johnston.

Literature and Glad Tidings secretary, Mrs. G. Haggerty.

Supplies and bale, Mrs. Walter Rodgers.

Pianist, Mrs. G. Matthews.

Assistant pianist, Mrs. S. McIntosh.

Friendship and Service secretary, Mrs. Earl Fox.

Associate Members and Home Helpers, Mrs. Cecil Nelson, Mrs. Pearl McGee.

Manse Committee, Mrs. R. Cooke, Mrs. M. Montgomery.

Quilt Committee, Mrs. L. Dafoe, Mrs. C. Rollins.

Auditors, Mrs. C. Tummon, Mrs. E. Burrell.

Nominating Convener, Mrs. Ken Ray.

The worship service, prepared by Mrs. W. Rodgers, was presented by Mrs. D. Fargey. The hymn "As With Gladness" was sung. Mr. G. Searles read Luke 2:10 – 16. Mrs. Bert Cook read an article headed "True Lord's Prayer", consisting of Jesus' prayer to God just previous to the betrayal and crucifixion.

Mrs. J. Johnston gave a topic on "Love and Giving". She mentioned different types of love and gifts, stated how each salesman quotes his product as the perfect gift. She revealed that there has been just one perfect gift, that was Jesus, son of God. He was given out of pure love.

She stated that our love should extend everywhere and at all times, not just only at Christmas as it seems to be. We should think of God's gift and act accordingly. The hymn, "Love Divine", all love excelling was sung and Mrs. Johnston offered prayer.

Mrs. C. Tummon thanked the lunch committee for the lunch served.

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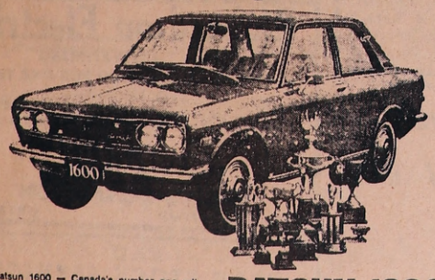

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St. Paul's UCW holds Christmas meeting

"Lord be our Guest" was the title of the poem read by the president, Mrs. Allan Wells, at the general meeting of St. Paul's United Church Women, held in the church parlors last Tuesday evening.

A pot luck supper was served at 7 o'clock with 45 ladies enjoying the delicious food.

"Joy to the World" was the opening hymn, with Mrs. H. West at the piano.

The worship service followed the theme of the Christmas story.

This was given by Mrs. Clifford Clancy. Mrs. H. Donnan read a poem, "God is standing there Beside You."

Mrs. Dorothy Summers read the scripture lesson, "Who is He That is Born King of the Jews?"

The collection was received by Mrs. Lyle and Mrs. Thompson, and dedicated.

Mrs. William McMullen read the minutes, followed by the treasurer's report.

Mrs. Richard Smith outlined the budget prepared for 1971.

The president announced that membership fees will not be required from now on; also memorials will be given toward Christian education for next year, unless otherwise specified for those giving special requests. Special thanks was expressed to Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hogle for flowers which they have given to beautify the church throughout the year.

"Our Purpose" was a reading given by Mrs. Gerald Bush.

Mrs. Edwin Warren made the preesentation of a life membership pin to Mrs. Wendall Camm, on behalf of Mr. Camm.

Twenty-four pairs of slippers were donated by the members for the clothing cupboard and Christmas boxes.

The Bethany Unit gave numerous readings concerning the meaning of Christmas. Those taking part were Mrs. M. Clancy, Mrs. G. Sine, Mrs. B. Small, Mrs. E. Bateman and Mrs. J. Good.

The meeting closed with a prayer of thankfulness by the president.

Mrs. James Boughan expressed thanks to all for the lovely evening of good food, self-searching worship service and in general the close friendship.

Mount Pleasant

(By Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

Mrs. Robert Merrick, Mrs. Garth Joslin, Mrs. Raymond McConnell and Mrs. Kenneth Weaver represented the U.C.W. at the Tuck Shop at Hastings Manor on Wednesday, December 9.

Mrs. Leonard Sharpe, Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Miss Annie Holmes, John Holmes, Ross Hoard and Roy Thrasher attended the Senior Citizens Christmas dinner meeting on Thursday, December 10.

Mrs. Arthur Couch spent Wednesday at Hastings Manor, Belleville, and visited her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Knight recently attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Ann Young at Deseronto.

Orno Sharp and Will McAdam were in charge of the polling booth and the hall on Monday, December 7.

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The Noble Grand, Sister Kathleen McMullen, welcomed the members and visitors.

Sister Madeline Walker, vice-grand, reported that the sick members had been looked after in the regular way. She also made a short report on the C.P. & T. Committee.

A Christmas gift of a 10 lb. cheese was delivered to the I.O.O.F. Home in Barrie by Sis. and Bro. Fox.

Sis. and Bro. Jenson were received as members of the lodge by transfer. Sis. Bessie Patterson gave a very favourable report on the catering to the Masonic banquet.

A short program was planned by Sis. Ruby Tompkins and enjoyed after the close of the meeting.

Christmas candy, donated by Sis. Kathleen McMullen, N.G., and Muriel Sharpe was the treat that closed a very enjoyable evening. The Noble Grand wished one and all a very merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Bonarlaw

(Mrs. Arthur Burkitt)

Mrs. Hugh Jones is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

The A. C. W. met at the home of Mrs. W. J. Barlow on Thursday afternoon, when a Christmas program was enjoyed.

Mrs. William Neal has returned home from visiting her brother at Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eggette left for a visit to relatives in England where Mrs. Eggette will spend Christmas with her father, who is 97.

Arthur Burkitt visited L. R. Green and Ralph on Thursday afternoon.

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BUILDING SUPPLIES
395-3339 STIRLING

Merry Christmas

At Yuletime, we extend to you our wish that merriment may brighten your happy home, all season long!

STIRLING LEGION

Here comes Santa Claus! Hope his pack is brimming with lots of good things for you and your family and friends.

SCOTTY'S RESTAURANT

To old friends and new go our wishes for a wonderful Christmas season.

HOYT'S GROCERY AND VARIETY
395-2152 STIRLING

Reflections of Christmas fill the air with Santa, children, gifts and smiles. Hope they're all part of your holiday.

EDGAR'S GARAGE
395-3241 STIRLING

TAXES COME IN AT GOOD CLIP

Clerk W.L. Pollock reports that as of Dec. 20, 91 per cent of Stirling village taxes have been paid. In dollars and cents, a total of $132,448 has been collected, with $13,136 remaining to be paid.

Also, during 1970, the village has issued 25 building permits representing a total value of $519,730. During 1969, 36 permits representing a total value of $443,400 were issued.

Mr. Pollock pointed out that only $8,400 of the building for which permits were issued during 1970 will be tax exempt. This is in contrast to a much higher percentage of non-taxable building carried out during 1969, he said.

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For your convenience he can also arrange the renewal of existing Certificates. There is no charge for these services.
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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

I wish to thank all my customers for their past patronage and wish one and all a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year and hope to continue serving you in the coming year.

JEAN'S BEAUTY SALON
FRANKFORD

Peace

May the meaning of the dove of peace fill the hearts of all men this day.

WIB, DAWN CRAIG AND SHAWN COX

Rejoice

May the blessings of the holy season fill you with peace and joy.

FROM THE MANAGEMENT AND STAFF OF
EDWARD ST. MANOR

A Merry Christmas wreath surrounds our best wishes for your happiness.

GLADYS SMITH AVON REPRESENTATIVE

Season's Greetings

Here's to a holiday merry and bright, with bells ringing, carol singing, greetings and treatings, gifts and gladness galore.

STIRLING RADIATOR and WELDING SHOP
PHONE 395-2102 STIRLING

Merry Christmas Happy New Year

In warm appreciation for your good will and confidence, we extend to you most cordial wishes for the Holiday Season. We welcome this opportunity of telling you just how much we enjoy serving you.

Claude Trumble Construction
LIMITED
166 NORTH ST. STIRLING, ONT.

Strange bedfellows

Auction sales can be entertaining.

During a recent sale in Stirling, the crowd was amused to discover that one "lot" was comprised of a pair of skiis and a pair of crutches.

The articles had been tied together carefully, obviously by someone with an excellent sense of humor.

CAROL SINGING

Despite the harsh cold, members of St. Paul's AOTS Men's Club were out carolling Monday night.

Riding in the back of a Stirling Lumber platform truck, the men sang at both Edward St. Manor and Stirling Towers as well as for shut-ins in Stirling and district.

STIRLING WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Clifford Clancy on Jan. 6 at 2 P.M.

STIRLING HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

When mulch is spread on the ground around shrubs, be sure that none comes near the the trunks of Flowering Crabs because mice will winter in it and damage the trees. May the Wonder, the Beauty and the Glory that is Christmas, be ever Real to us, and ever Remembered. Amen.

RIVER VALLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

May the beautiful meaning of Christmas –
Its Hopes, its Friendship and Cheer ––
Be yours today and everyday
Throughout a bright New Year.

LUCKY WINNER

Mrs. Vincent Tuepah (nee Brenda Matthews) of Oshawa, was the lucky winner of a 1971 snowmobile and trailer. Her ticket, purchased during the Quinte Exhibition in Belleville last August, was drawn on Dec. 5.

Greetings and good wishes of the holiday season come to you and yours from merchants in this community.

MERRY CHRISTMAS - HAPPY NEW YEAR

TO ALL OUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS
IN LIEU OF GREETING CARDS, WE HAVE MADE WHAT WE TRUST WILL BE A HELPFUL AND MEANINGFUL DONATION TO THE HASTINGS COUNTY T. B. ASSOC.

Phyl & Doug Patterson & Family

We Thank You . . .

for the confidence you have placed in us in the past and extend to you our good wishes for a

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

MAURICE BELL - DON MYERS
HOWARD MYERS and LARRY McMULLEN

OLD-TIME GREETINGS

The wonderful old traditions call for people to gather together, to meet with their near and dear. As you and yours celebrate Christmas, we wish for you the true delights of the season.

BIRD'S IGA MARKET

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NATIVITY SCENE AT ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH

Council wants 12 more senior citizens units

At the final meeting for 1970 of Stirling village council, held on Dec. 15, the clerk was instructed to write to the Ontario Housing Corporation to rquest that the OHC erect 12 additional senior citizen apartment units in Stirling as soon as possible.

Work began only recently on the construction of a 12-unit apartment building for senior citizens, on Church St.

At this same meeting, the annual report of the bylaws officer, George Rhynsburger, was received.

The clerk was instructed to pay the deputy returning officers, in the recent municipal election, at the rate of $18.50 and the poll clerks, $16.50. The Masonic Lodge will be paid $30.00 for the use of its hall for two polls on election day.

In other business, the clerk was instructed to contact the Recreation Committee for authorization to pay the Senior Citizens Club grant of $110.00.

The inaugural meeting of the 1971 council is scheduled for Monday, Jan. 4, at 7 p.m.

Information is obtained

Several weeks ago, the News-Argus ran a story asking for information about an old deed discovered by James Lake, R.R. 3, Stirling.

The story apparently was spotted by the United Empire Loyalists' Association which carried out a thorough follow-up and mailed all the data sought by Mr. Lake to him.

Rawdon Council

Rawdon Township council held its final meeting of the year at Harold on Dec. 15, with all members present.

Two wolf bounties were paid, one to Thomas Hinds, $25, and one to Thomas Trumble, $25.

The 1970 levy of $2,135.82 to the Crowe River Conservation Authority was paid.

The balance owing to Stirling Commercial Printing for the year of $233.50, plus election supplies of $76.44 was ordered paid.

The clerk was authorized to bill the Hastings County board of Education for the expenses of the election.

The clerk was authorized to write to the community planning branch of the Department of Municipal Affairs, regarding giving permission to William Hinds to sell a portion of land to James Pollock.

Mrs. R. W. Kinnear was given a tax rebate of $40.59. Road voucher No. 12 for $5,817.12 was paid.

The clerk was asked to write to Ontario Hydro, expressing thanks for their co-operation through the past year.

Past Noble Grands hold Christmas meet

On Monday evening, Dec. 7, the members of the Past Noble Grands' Club met for their annual Christmas meeting at the home of Sis. Mildred Morrow. The evening began with a pot luck supper at 7 p.m.

Thirty-one P.N.G.s and one social member sat down to a festive meal which included a full course turkey dinner and a side variety of desserts. Following this, a half hour was spent by each member reading a hilarious joke which had been placed in front of her plate by the hostess.

The members then retired to the living room where the meeting opened by all repeating the Lord's Prayer. The club catered to a teachers' banquet on Dec. 16 at 12 o'clock noon.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Sis. Mabel Barlow on Jan. 4 when the election of officers will take place. Sis. Irene Hogle (pres.) closed the meeting by reading the benediction.

Sis. Neva Vanderwoort was in charge of the program which included the singing of Christmas carols, a solo by Sis. Anne McInroy and a Christmas bingo. The highlight of the evening came when each P.N.G. received a Christmas gift from the member who had been her "Secret Pal" for the past year and found out who her pal had been. All the members were in favor of doing this again next year, and names were drawn. The hostess then served a lunch of fruit cake, cookies and punch.

Sis. Ethel Duffin thanked the hostess on behalf of all the members. This concluded another harmonious year of the Past Noble Grands' Club.

Post office busy during Yule rush

The volume of Christmas mail at the Stirling Post office has been down in comparison to other years, according to Postmaster Herb Wall.

Mr. Wall attributed the decreased volume to people mailing their Christmas cards and parcels earlier than usual.

The peak of the Christmas mail rush was reached last Thursday. At that time, the regular full time staff of Mr. Wall and Miss Mary Hulin and the part-time help, Mrs. Lorne Cooke, Mrs. Edith Edwards and Mrs. Marie Eggleton were joined by Mrs. Mary Wall and Mrs. Helen Bolte to handle the rush.

Most of the 1,200 families served by the Stirling Post Office will receive their Christmas mail but improper addressing was one of the problems mentioned by Mr. Wall, that could stop mail delivery.

"If a person is in doubt about an address, then he should at least use a six cent stamp and put on a return address on each piece of mail," he said.

If a letter or card bearing only a five cent stamp is returned, then the sender is charged an additional five cents.

"For the extra cent, the person is assured of receiving their cards and letters back, if they have written the return address on the envelope," said Mr. Wall.

A six cent card or letter will be returned to the sender free of charge.

Many letters are sent to the dead letter office in Toronto because of poor addressing or the person to whom the letter is sent, has died or moved away.

"We have to readdress many letters because the post offices have changed in the district," said Mr. Wall.

As long as the post office knows the people and where they live it is fairly easy to redirect the mail.

CHRISTMAS AT THE POST OFFICE

Usually the Christmas season is a hectic time at post offices throughout the country but this year the mail volume was down at the Stirling Post Office. Even though the volume was less, there were many letters and parcels to be sorted.

HOLY NIGHT

In the starry midnight silence
Lo, a whispering, rushing sound, –
'Tis the winging of the angels
As His glory bathes the ground;
Hark, the song of glad hosana
As His glory bathes the ground;
Hark, the song of glad hosannas
Wafting o'er the sleeping earht;
Hallelujah! Joy proclaiming –
Holy Night! The Savior's Birth!

Slumbering Shepherds quickly waken
While o'er flocks their vigil keep,
And their cries of fear and wonder
Join the bleating of the sheep.
Then they catch the heavenly message,
"Peace on earth, good-will to men,
Tidings of great joy we're bringing,
Christ is born in Bethlehem!"

Yonder in a lonely stable.
Wrapped with swaddling clothes around,
In His gentle Mother's keeping,
Lo, the Holy Child is found.
Weary Shepherds humbly bowing
Hasten now His praise to tell;
Gladly let us join the Anthem,
Hail,oh,hail Immanuel!

–M.B.

Scribe's wish for new year

1971 Wish

Dis ole Scribe wishes that so much happiness will stick out of you that much of it will rub off on your friends as you mingle among them in 1971.

dis ole Scribe.

Easy Does It

Remember (Where there's a swill, there's a sway).

Christmas activities at Wellman's

The members of Wellman's Women's Institute gathered at the home of Mrs. Victor Graham Dec. 16 for a pot-luck dinner at 12:30 p.m. The Christmas meeting followed, opening at 2 p.m. The roll call was answered with "a fond remembrance of winter." The motto "Blessed is the season which engages the whole world in a conspiracy of love." was given by Mrs. John Carlisle.

The program was arranged by Mrs. Elmer Cotten. A number of carols were sung with record accompaniment. A reading on Christmas was given by Mrs. Byron Seeley and Mrs. Cotten. Mrs. Kenneth Tompkins conducted a contest on "Merry Christmas". Gifts were exchanged following the program.

During the business, Mrs. Douglas Clancy and Mrs. John Carlisle were appointed convenors for a card party in the Institute Hall on January 9. Mrs. Byron Seeley offered her home for the next meeting, January 20.

A Christmas concert was held Dec. 12 in the Institute Hall when an evening's program was put on by some 70 children and teenagers under the direction of Mrs. Jim Pollock, Mrs. Jim Rainie and Mrs. Byron Seeley. Two dialogues, "Santa has Lost his List" by seven small boys and "The Star and the Sixth" with 14 teenagers taking part, were presented.

The balance of the program was made up of solos, duets, recitations and musical numbers. At the end, Santa arrived with candy to distribute to the children.

Bert Jones seven time award winner

Bert Jones of Bert Jones Bus Sales Limited was the recipient of two outstanding awards at the International Blue Bird Bus Dealers' convention held recently in Atlanta, Georgia.

Mr. Jones won the President's Award for outstanding representation during the year 1970. He was also successful in exceeding his quota and was presented with a "Quota Booster's Club" plaque. This is a special award for achieving his sales goal during 1970. This is the seventh year in a row that he has won these high honors.

He received his trophies at the Atlanta convention.

Turkey bingo deemed success

The annual Turkey Bingo, sponsored by the Stirling Rotary Club, was well attended. There were 48 games played, including three free ones. A turkey was awarded to the winner of each game.

Door prize winners were Mrs. Cecil Nelson, Stirling, $25; Mrs. Maurice Montgomery, Stirling, $15; and Kenneth Jeffrey, Tweed, $10.

Proceeds from the bingo will be used to support the work of the Society for Crippled Children – a main project of Rotary.

"The Rotary Club wishes to thank all those who contributed and helped to make this year's bingo a success," said Rudy Klompmaker, club president.

St. James CWL meets

Christmas was much in evidence when the Catholic Women's League met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Finnigan. A gaily decorated tree dominated the living room.

The Rev. J. McGarvey celebrated Mass, after which the meeting opened for business.

Mrs. Stan Meeks reported that preparations had been made for treats for the children of the parish.

The pastor was presented with a cheque to assist in defraying parish expenses, as well as a personal Christmas gift cheque.

Plans were made by the executive to prepare gifts for shut-ins.

Mrs. LaChappelle read an inspirational Christmas message and the meeting then closed and was followed by an exchange of gifts, after which lunch was served.

Next paper January 6

Following the custom of recent years, the Stirling News-Argus will not be published next week, in order to give our staff a Christmas holiday.

The next edition will appear on Wednesday, Jan. 6.

Our office will be closed on Dec. 25 and Dec. 26, but it will be open for business Dec. 28 to 31, and on Jan. 2. We will be closed on Jan. 1.

We repeat an earlier offer to renew subscriptions ahead for as many years as desired, at the current rate of $4.00 per year in Canada and $5.00 in other countries. This offer will expire on Dec. 31, with an increase of 50 cents per year on subscription prices coming into effect on Jan. 1.

WINS MIRROR

Mrs. Raymond McConnell, 306 Church St., was the lucky winner of a full length plate glass window in a draw conducted at the Stirling PL Building Centre on Tuesday. The winning ticket was drawn by Reeve-elect Robert Anderson.

A CHRISTMAS WORLD OF LIGHTS

Many residents of Stirling have decorated the exterior of their homes during the holiday season. One beautiful display of lights can be seen at the residence of Ivan Caldwell, 70 Frankford Rd. Approximately 350 small bulbs and several larger bulbs are being used in the display. Noteworthy parts of the decorations include a large Santa Claus at the front of the house; a moon, with Santa's picture, on the clothes line pole; a sign spelling out Merry Christmas in red lights and a large cross on the roof decorated with white lights. Photo by Roy Lewis

THE THEME IS CHRISTMAS

An assembly, presented at the Stirling Junior Public School Monday afternoon by the Marsh Hill School students, touched on several Christmas themes. In the play above, called Santa Junior, the audience was shown some of the problems that could have arisen if Santa's son were allowed to make the rounds at Christmas. From left are Sandra Beaudrie (Santa's daughter), Gary Clapp (Santa's son), Kelly Boyle (Santa Claus), and Wanda Clapp (Mrs. Claus).

Photo by Roy Lewis

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Telling Story Of Nativity

"And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us.

"And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph and the babe lying in a manger." Luke 2:15-16.

As even little children know, the words of St. Luke tell the story of the Miracle in a manger. Shepherds watching in the fields, herald angels singing — these things Christians can picture today because of St. Luke, the physician who became Christ's disciple.

Traditionally, St. Luke did still more to preserve the spiritual treasures of the Christmas story. He literally pictured the Madonna.

According to this tradition, St. Luke was an iconographer as well as a physician, and as such he created the first image of the Madonna, a painting that became the guide for many icons in later centuries.

As legend has it, St. Luke's icon of the Madonna and his other paintings were the forerunners of the style of artistic expression known as Byzantine art.

Oppressed and suppressed in some eras, Byzantine religious art has so original and distinctive a style that it returned again and again, to thrive throughout 12 centuries. Today, it is enjoying a rebirth, through the efforts of dedicated iconographers.

Showing Images

Iconography is a system for representing Christian subjects by means of pictures or images. Originally, the term meant "portrayal," and applied especially to panels portraying the figure of Christ, the Madonna, a saint or some scene from the Bible, according to the Grolier Book of Art.

In the Greek Orthodox Church icon technically means a movable religious painting. However, iconography often refers, more broadly, to wall paintings and mosaics as well as portable icons.

Going Iconoclastic

The art of the Byzantine — or Eastern Roman — empire first flourished under the rule of Justinian, in the 6th century A.D.

But trouble loomed ahead. When Emperor Leo III came to power, he brought with him a deep hatred of all images, especially icons, say the editors of the Encyclopedia Americana.

As an Iconoclast — hater of icons — Leo forbade the creation of religious figures and images, and the Iconoclastic Age began in 726.

Paintings on church walls were whitewashed, ivories and mosaics removed, countless works of art destroyed.

Comics Get Help

When icons returned to favor in the 9th century, the Iconoclastic Age had been responsible for the loss of much religious art — but it had some benefits.

Secular art gained by it, as artists of the monastic schools began to work under the patronage of the nobility.

Even modern comic strips owe something to the Iconoclasts. The monastic artists who turned to secular work brought with them the Byzantine method of telling a story through a continuous series of drawings.

Symbolism Rules

Surviving wars, crusades and conquests, Byzantine art flourished till the middle of the 15th century.

Over the years, Byzantine artists influenced others, but were rarely influenced by others. Though the early Renaissance brought realism, the colorful, decorative and formal qualities of the Byzantine style remained virtually unchanged.

In Byzantine art, highly stylized figures appear, with little or no three-dimensional effect. Gold backgrounds suggest almost no sense of space.

Familiar scenes such as the Nativity show painted figures that are allegorical, mystical, symbolic — but never realistic in color or form.

CHRISTMAS VACATION

On Tuesday at 3:30 p.m., 878 pupils of the Stirling-Marsh Hill School Unit began their winter holidays.

The holidays, which cover eight full school days, including Christmas and New Year's Day, will end on Sunday, January 3, 1971. Regular classes will resume on Monday, January 4.

Stirling Bantams win and lose

Last week, the Stirling bantams registered a win and a loss. The win came against Campbellford in a 3 to 2 contest and the loss being to Marmora by a 4 to 3 count.

Monday, December 14, the Bantams went down to defeat against Marmora in a very rough game. Scoring for Stirling were Kevin Solmes, Byron Hubble and Tom Reid, with assists going to Danny Ray, Robert De Jong and Hubble.

In their other game earlier in the season, Stirling handed Marmora a 5 to 2 setback but didn't click Monday night.

Wednesday, December 16, the Bantams registered a 3 to 2 cliffhanger win over Campbellford. Byron Hubble, Walley Blakeley and Richard Baldwin scored for Stirling, while assists went to Kevin Solmes and Tom Reid.

Richard Whattam played a strong game in goal for the home team as he stopped many sure goals and kept Stirling in the game.

STATISTICS
(Top five in scoring)

	G	Pts	PIM	G.P.
K. Solmes	14	21	0	8
R. DeJong	7	17	2	8
B. Hubble	4	9	0	8
W. Blakeley	2	4	0	8
K. Jackett	3	4	2	8

GOALIES

	G.P.	G.A.	S.O.	Avr.
T. Bush	7	20	0	2.98
R. Whattam	4	9	0	2.25

Wednesday Ladies Bowling

Dec. 16 – Doreen Platford's Starlites took 7 points from the Drop Outs. Joan Rankin's Dew Drops took 7 points from Ivy Poste's Lucky 7.

OUR ERROR

In last week's edition the story concerning the race for the warden's chair in Hastings County failed to mention that Reeve Jack Bush, of Sidney township, is commencing his 7th term on county council. Of the five aspirants for the wardenship, Reeve Bush has the second longest experience on county council.

Points to date – Drop Outs, 16; Lucky 7, 52; Starlites, 50; Dew Drops, 36.

"A" Group (150 average and up) high single, Connie Donohoe, 228; high triple, Marlene Fraser, 594; high average, Sylvia Edgar, 193.

"B" Group (149 average and under) high single and triple, Helen Wannamaker, 271, 610.

Other good games – Helen Wannamaker, 217; Betty Johnson, 218; Betty Hubble, 203; Marlene Fraser, 219; Jean Barrie, 205.

The Christmas Story
As we celebrate His Birth, we pause to study the true meaning of Christmas. Best of the season to you and your family.
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FOR THE HOLIDAYS AND HAPPINESS
THROUGHOUT THE NEW YEAR
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Christmas Greetings
May your Christmas glisten, and gleam and glow with seasonal joy. Thanks for letting us serve you.
We anticipate your continued confidence.
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SEASON'S GREETINGS
to
ONE AND ALL
from
ROY and ELLA SANDERS
AND STAFF
of
FOXBORO FABRICS

Holiday Greetings
NOEL
Time to say how much we appreciate your patronage.
IRENE'S BEAUTY SALON
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THE VERY MERRIEST
KIND OF
CHRISTMAS
AND A JOYOUS NEW YEAR
are the warm Greetings from
Us to You and Yours
TANNER'S SERVICE STATION
STIRLING ONTARIO

Cheery Greetings
We hope your holiday is filled with fine friends, good times. Warm wishes.
FULLER BRUSH CO. LTD.

O, come all ye faithful
Together, let us lift our voices in joyful praise of Him . . . the Prince of Peace.
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Merry Christmas
In quiet serenity, let us reflect on the true message of Christmas. May your home and family be blessed with the spiritual joy and happiness that His birth taught us to cherish.
With our greetings goes our sincere appreciation.
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FRANKFORD

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Santa's making a list of all our friends so that he can be especially good to each of you.

Best wishes to all.

SID'S CUSTOM MEAT

395-3836

GREETINGS

I FEEL IT APPROPRIATE AT THIS TIME OF YEAR, SINCE I AM RETIRING AS REEVE OF YOUR VILLAGE, TO BRING GREETINGS TO ALL CITIZENS OF STIRLING.

THE VILLAGE IS PROGRESSING AND, WHILE THE COUNCIL AND I HAVE MADE SOME CONTRIBUTION, IT IS THE PEOPLE OF STIRLING WHO DESERVE THE MOST CREDIT. I AM ALSO SURE THAT THE ENSUING REEVE AND COUNCIL, WITH YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT, WILL ENDEAVOUR TO ENHANCE OUR MUNICIPALITY EVEN MORE.

FOR ALL THE SUPPORT TENDERED ME DURING MY TERM IN OFFICE, I SINCERELY THANK YOU AND WISH FOR EACH AND EVERYONE

A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS
AND
A BOUNTIFUL NEW YEAR

DONALD W. RODGERS

GREETINGS

GLOWING as a cheery hearth,
bright as a gaily-lighted tree
are our warm-hearted
wishes for your joy and contentment at
this happy holiday season. We greatly enjoy
our pleasant business relations
with you and hope that they may long
continue. To you, our most grateful thanks.

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Verna Sutherland
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Elaine McKeown
Laura Sine
Eva-Anne Hunter
Geraldine Smith
Marilyn Hagerman
Patricia Anderson
William Ash
Brenda Campbell

DWIGHT DILLABOUGH, Manager

Merrie Bowlers league results

Lillian Arbuckle rolled high single of 239. Dilly Montgomery took high triple of 630 with games of 215, 214 and 201.

Over 200 Games

Barb Noble, 238; Linda Barron, 218, 206; Mildred Fraser, 219; Nellie Smith, 207; Grace Donohoe, 212; Lillian Arbuckle, 204.

Standings to date – Roses 62, Asters 59, Daisies 44, Petunias 17.

A small Christmas party followed bowling with lunch and an exchange of gifts. Ray Poste gave free game tickets to each bowler. There will be bowling each Wednesday through the holidays.

SEASON'S BEST

SHAW'S SHOE STORE

395-2644 STIRLING

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TO ALL...
MERRY CHRISTMAS

Christmas is here!
Hope it brings you and your loved ones a bounty of good cheer.

HASTINGS SHEET METAL

BILL WEBBER, LYLE HAY
AND RALPH CLEMENTS

Greetings

As you rejoice on Christmas, may you gather many blessings and gain deep spiritual contentment.

Frankford Dairy Ltd.

PHONE 398-6432 FRANKFORD

Holiday Blends Many Customs

"Anybody found feasting or observing Christmas day in any way shall pay a fine of five shillings."

And so, throughout New England Pilgrim settlers had to treat Christmas as just another working day. Governor Bradford noted that "no man rested all day" on December 25, 1620, say the editors of Encyclopedia Americana.

Today, in the United States and Canada, Christmas celebrations are a colorful blend of customs from many lands. The main features of the holiday festivities are much the same everywhere—Santa Claus, Christmas trees, gifts, greetings, feasting, family visits, carol singing.

Each of these customs has its own history, and for the student of holiday lore and legend, the fascination lies in the variety of traditions brought by settlers from other lands and assimilated into what is now a truly American, or truly Canadian Christmas.

Displaying Tree

The custom of the Community Christmas Tree began in the early 1900's with the people of Pasadena, Calif., who decorated a tall evergreen on Mount Wilson with lights and tinsel.

Madison Square in New York and the Common in Boston were the scene of trees set up in 1912. In 1914 Independence Square in Philadelphia had its first holiday tree.

Around each of these trees choirs gathered and sang carols.

The custom of lighting the National Community Christmas Tree in Washington, D.C. began in 1923 when the University of Vermont sent a large tree to President Calvin Coolidge.

Add Special Touch

In Quebec, customs from France lend their special touch to a Canadian Christmas.

France gave Canada the "creche," gatherings after midnight Mass with family and friends, savory pork pies called "tourtieres," collecting gifts from door to door for the less privileged persons of the community.

After mass on Christmas Eve, the people of Quebec gather at homes of loved ones to participate in a night-long feast called "réveillon."

Performing Pageant

From Germany came the Nativity pageant, and the first play of this sort in the U.S. was performed at the German Catholic Church of the Holy Trinity in Boston, in 1851. Children dressed as Oriental shepherds offered gifts to the Christ Child at the altar, singing carols at the same time. The gifts were later distributed to the poor of the parish.

Play Delights

A hybrid Spanish-Indian play, called "Los Pastores," introduced by Spanish monks, may still take place in the backyards of San Antonio, Tex., at Christmastime. With no props, curtains and a cast of amateurs, it yearly delights with its spiritual innovations.

It runs from Christmas to Candlemas, in homes located in out-of-way places so only the initiated can find it. The object is to prevent the merely curious observer from watching this spritual miracle play.

Decorating with Cards Can Be Yule Project

When children need a change from the toys on Christmas day, a promising project could be to let them see what they can do with the family greeting cards.

Here are some suggestions from Jeannette Lee, art director for Hallmark.

Tape or staple cards to lengths of ribbon and hang them on walls or doors.

Make a Christmas wreath by attaching cards to a circle of cardboard.

"Frame" cards with construction paper.

Decorate a screen with cards.

Pin the Star

Children never tire of exciting party games, while the adults may need a rest. One game that is loads of fun for kids to play and adults to watch is a seasonal version of "Pin the Tail on the Donkey." This one is "Pin the Star on the Christmas Tree."

It's easy to cut a large shape of a Christmas Tree out of green construction paper and tape it to a wall or door, making sure it is low enough for the littlest guest to reach the top.

Each child gets a paper star with tape on the back and takes his turn being blindfolded and spun around. The one who can place his star closest to the top of the tree wins.

Men's Monday night league

Dec. 14, 1970

Games Over 225

Keith Johnson, 225; Bob Robertson, 228; Howard Parsonson, 241; Ralph Scea, 288; Wayne Roe, 243; Doug Scea, 226, 268 (high average, 227); Ralph Park, 271; Bob Alderson, 256; Tom Hudson, 253, 274; John Reickert, 234, 296; Bill Kelly, 230; Tom Kovach, 306, (high single and high triple 744).

Team	Wk. Pts.	Pts.
Legion	4	41
Odds & Ends	3	72
Maple Leafs	2	53
Good Guys	3	36
Wild Willys	5	43
Alley Cats	4	49

COLIN FOX

Funeral service for Colin Fox of Stirling was held Friday in the Hogle Funeral Home. Rev. Bruce Small officiated. Interment was in the Stirling cemetery.

In attendance at the funeral were representatives from CFB Trenton and the Canadian Power Squadron in Belleville.

In Germany

A procession which blends pagan and Christmas customs is part of the legend and lore of the holiday in Ruppin, Germany. A rider on a white horse, symbolizing the horse of the pagan god Wotan, leads the parade. He is followed by Father Christmas, who is decked with ribbons and carries candy and fruit.

In Switzerland

A Swiss custom that dates back to the Middle Ages is to start the New Year free of debts. December 6th, the feast of St. Nicholas of Myra, the first Santa Claus, is the day set to meet all monetary obligations such as rents and mortgages.

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Mrs. Stanley Meek, Service to Patients Representative

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Best wishes for a holiday season filled with happiness and good cheer. And sincere thanks for your patronage.

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CENTENNIAL REPORT

A report by Thom Reynolds from Centennial Secondary School, Palmer Road, Belleville

The new computerized report cards were handed out this past Friday to students at Centennial. Two evenings in January have been set aside for parents to consult with teachers about their children's progress in school: Wednesday, January 13 and Monday, January 18, from 7 to 9:30 p.m.

In high school sports, last Friday Centennial visited Madoc in Junior and Midget basketball. The juniors defeated Madoc 72 to 33 and in Midget basketball, Madoc beat Centennial Chargers 47 to 34.

A good Christmas spirit has been shown in Centennial this past week with many decorations and student programs. The Arts Club of Centennial has decorated the school's halls and office with stained-glass window scenes and paper crafts depicting the Nativity and other traditional Christmas scenes. The class rooms of the school were decorated by teachers and their homeroom classes. The student council held a contest for the best three decorated rooms in the school. The school also took up donations for underprivileged families in the area. On Tuesday morning the Radio Club of Centennial presented a half hour program over the school's Public Address system of appropriate scripture and Christmas readings.

Students of Centennial will be enjoying two weeks of holidays this Christmas and will resume classes on Monday, January 4.

Minto

(Mrs. Lindsay Tanner)

The card party sponsored by Tanner L.O.L. was held Friday night with eight tables in play. The winners were: ladies' high, Miss Marlene Preston; ladies' second, Mrs. Jim York; men's high, John Courtney, men's second, Milford Wrightman; door prize, Arthur Hagerman.

Following cards, lunch was served. Next card party is in January.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Courtney of Ottawa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Courtney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hagerman spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bateman of Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell and boys of Kingston and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan of Stirling spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clements, Phil Vance, Mrs. Anne Fanning and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forestell attended the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Sheridan, which was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Murphy of Port Hope on Sunday afternoon.

Silent Night

Holy Night, all is calm, all is bright. We wish you the great gifts of friendship, love and peace.

WARREN MOTORS

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Jack Bush & Staff

DON'T be nutty with a Christmas Tree!

The Canadian Standards Association warns against careless use of Christmas trees and lighting. Use a fresh tree, keep the butt immersed in water, and check old tree lights for frayed wires. Make sure tree lights you buy have the CSA mark of approval, your assurance that they are safe from fire and shock hazard.

Holiday Fun Prompts Lively Party Ideas

Christmas gatherings just naturally turn into parties—friends and relatives drop in with holiday greetings, and all of a sudden it's a party!

Party games designed specially for the season can spur on the fun.

For groups large or small, parties planned or impromptu, the following entertaining ideas are suggested.

One way to "break the ice," especially when all of the guests are not well acquainted with each other, is to play a guessing game. A Christmas Personality game can be played by pinning a name such as "Rudolph," "Santa" or "Christmas Angel" on the backs of several guests. Then each tries to guess his name by hints others give.

Another way to start a party is to start the guests out thinking! Have a little contest and see who can spell the most words with the letters in "Chrismas."

Musical Candy Cane

A lively combination version of Musical Chairs and Hot Potato makes use of some unbreakable symbol of Christmas festivities — a small package, one of the sturdier tree ornaments, a big candy cane.

One person who is not playing puts on a Christmas record. Everyone sits in a close circle and passes the object around. When the music suddenly stops, the person who has the object in his hand is out. This continues until the circle is reduced to one—the winner!

GREETINGS

During Christmastime we extend to all our neighbors and friends warmest wishes for a wonderful holiday.

JOSEPH THOMPSON

GENERAL INSURANCE

R.R. 5 STIRLING 395-2298

GREETINGS

As the Christmas spirit abounds through our community, we send our warmest greetings to all for a happy holiday.

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GREETINGS

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STIRLING PHONE 395-3360

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Greetings

A happy season to you, with greetings and good wishes from us.

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Christmas Greetings

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KEEP YOUR CHRISTMAS SAFE FROM FIRE

Choose a place for the tree which will not block access to doors or windows in the event of an emergency.

Hold it! Before you set up the tree, cut one or two inches from the butt. Then set it in water. Crushed stone in a suitable container will keep it steady.

Remember to replenish water regularly throughout the Christmas Season. You may need to add more than a pint a day.

Insulation on lighting strings should be checked for damage and possible short circuits. If buying new lights, be sure they are C.S.A.

Smoking near the tree is foolish and dangerous. Keep cigarettes and matches at a safe distance.

Tinsel and other decorations should be non-inflammable. Don't deck your tree with added fire dangers!

Make sure that matches are kept out of reach of children, and never leave young children unattended even for a minute!

Always clear away discarded gift wrappings promptly from the tree area. Even a moist tree will burn if ignited by such a fire around its base.

Switch off the tree lighting when you go to bed, or whenever you leave your home.

BEST WISHES FROM THE MEMBERS OF

STIRLING FIRE DEPARTMENT

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TO THE PEOPLE OF HASTINGS RIDING

Over the past 12 years as your representative at Queen's Park, Toronto, I have established close contact with every department of the government, which enables me to bring the complaints and needs of this constituency to the attention of our ministers, and secure quick action. I have devoted all my time to this end and have endeavored to strive for the welfare of all to the best of my ability.

This year we have had a definite slacking in the economy of all Canada, which has caused many hardships and high unemployment, but I look ahead to the future with confidence. With government support and by all working together we will see a greatly improved situation in Hastings in 1971.

Now once again I would like to thank you for your confidence in me and extend to one and all my very best wishes for

A Merry Christmas AND Health AND Happiness in the coming year

CLARKE T. ROLLINS
MLA
HASTINGS

DOLLARS AND GOOD SENSE

By William J. Martin

Mr. Martin serves as special consultant to Avco Financial Services. All questions should be sent to him at P.O. Box 5875, London, Ontario, Canada. Those containing a name and address will be answered in this column or by direct return mail. No names will be used in print.

Dear Mr. Martin:

The other day I received a telephone call from someone who said she would send me a valuable prize if I answered her question correctly, which I did. But when my "prize" was delivered, a salesman spent more than 30 minutes trying to sell me a lot of overpriced merchandise before I could get rid of him. I never did get my prize. Is there something people can do about this kind of gimmick?

D.H.

Dear D. H.:

Gimmick is right. It sounds like you were the target of one of the most frequently used telephone-pitch gimmicks going. Generally the only purpose of such operations is to get a high-pressure salesman into your home.

The questions asked over the phone are ones most children could answer. Be careful and don't fall into this trap.

These days it can be very dangerous to allow strangers to enter your home. Play it safe – check with your Police Department first. It could prevent disaster.

Phone telephone peddlers have become such a problem that many states are moving to restrict their activities and require licensing.

Phone gimmicks aren't the only ones around, of course. If you're a soft touch, you can be taken by any number of fast talking "con" men. They can get to you through the mail, over the phone or at your door. Before you sign anything or send anyone any money, make sure you know what you're getting into.

Each year hundreds of thousands of dollars are lost to swindlers. Check out any questionable operation. There's your local chamber of commerce, the better business bureau and, of course, the police. Check with them first and you won't be sorry later.

Peace, Joy and May the Star that guided the Wise Men blaze a path of enrichment for you.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

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STIRLING PHOTOGRAPHY
BOX 11, STIRLING 395-3321

A Prayer for Peace and Hope

With you, we pray for hope and peace, everywhere. To you, our heartfelt greetings.

STIRLING CREAMERY
AND STAFF

(by Mrs. Arthur Pyear)

On Thursday afternoon, the December meeting of Carmel U.C.W. unit was held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Pyear. Mrs. Jim Keating was in charge of the meeting and welcomed 22 ladies and three children present. Christmas carols were sung and several ladies took part in the Christmas devotional. Mrs. Harry Brown played Spanish music to set the mood for Miss Alice Heasman's showing of slides from pictures she had taken while on a tour of Spain last summer. Her commentary made the showing interesting and educational.

OMHA Midget hockey schedule

Nov. 16, Stirling 8, Wellington 2; Nov. 20, Stirling 4, Madoc 3; Nov. 23, Bancroft 9, Stirling 10; Nov. 27, Stirling 4, Campbellford 3; Nov. 30, Wellington 3, Stirling 4; Dec. 1, Stirling 4, Brighton 4; Dec. 7, Marmora 2, Stirling 5; Dec. 9, Stirling 6, Tweed 5; Dec. 14, Madoc 1, Stirling 10.

Dec. 28, Brighton at Stirling, 9:00; Jan. 4, Tweed at Stirling, 9:00; Jan. 9, Stirling at Marmora, 7:00; Jan. 11, Madoc at Stirling, 9:00; Jan. 18, Wellington at Stirling, 9:00; Jan. 23, Stirling at Marmora, 7:00.

Talkers make Bell happy

The number of telephones served by Bell Canada has passed the 6,000,000 mark. The six millionth phone was installed earlier this week, according to a company announcement.

Bell Canada, which operates in Ontario, Quebec and parts of Labrador and the North West Territories, serves two-thirds of Canada's more than 9,000,000 telephones.

Bell Canada added the last million telephones considerably faster than the first million. It took 65 years for the company to reach the 1,000,000 mark while the increase from 5,000,000 to 6,000,000 took only three years.

The company, 90 years old this year, added some 260,000 telephones during the past 12 months. It has 2,100 phones in operation at the end of its first year of service.

CHRISTMAS CHEER

We would like to extend our warmest wishes to all our friends, patrons.

CHARLES SMITH
DECORATOR

Warm and sincere greetings to you and your loved ones for the bright holiday season.

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PHONE 395-3359 R.R. 1 STIRLING

Carmel

The lunch committee, Mrs. Retta Grills, Mrs. Tom Grills and the hostess served refreshments.

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A euchre party was held in the community hall on Friday evening with eleven tables in play. Prize winners were: ladies', Mrs. M. Morgan, Mrs. V. McCauley and Joanne Hearns; men's, Ernest Grills, Joe Kellar, Phil Genereau and door prize, Murray Morgan. Lunch was served by the committee in charge, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hearns and Mr. and Mrs. Brian Sayers.

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The family of Mr. Frank Keating tendered him a party on his 80th birthday at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neal, Belleville, were Sunday visitors of the latter's sister, Mrs. Retta Grills.

Christmas Wishes

Jolly good wishes for a happy holiday are coming your way from Santa. Merry Christmas!

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THE SPIRIT of CHRISTMAS

As you worship with your family at Christmas, may the true spirit of the season greatly bless you. Sincerely, we extend our greetings.

DOUG MORTON CONSTRUCTION and staff

warm wishes

May the joy and peace of an old fashioned Christmas fill your hearts and home.

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Sincerest holiday wishes with many thanks for your valued patronage.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

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Iconography? It's Part Of Today

The ancient Byzantine art of iconography is a contemporary art, too, and very much a part of today.

So declares John Papaspiliopoulos, leading iconographer and owner-creator of the Byzantine Icons Studio, New York.

He points out that the turn of the century Art Nouveau technique, which has influenced much contemporary art, is related to Byzantine religious art. A non-realistic use of color and flattening of perspective are typical.

As an iconographer, Mr. Papaspiliopoulos leads the development of a "Byzantine art of the 20th century."

Assisted by the artists of his studio, he has decorated some 30 churches in the United States. In his native Greece, he has decorated 19 Athens churches.

Like Byzantine artists of centuries past, Mr. Papaspiliopoulos works with traditionally authentic egg tempera. He makes his own tempera from egg, vinegar and ammonia. To this emulsion, coloring agents are added.

He makes extensive use of gold leaf, another traditional element in Byzantine art. His work shows his own personal touch but always follows the pure Byzantine style.

Piñata Fun Gets Break

A joyous Christmas tradition for Mexican boys and girls is the breaking of the piñata, a decorated earthen jar.

Sometimes, the piñata may be a caricature of people or animals.

The piñata is suspended by a rope that can raise or lower it. Each child is blindfolded and usually given three chances to poke at the piñata with a stick.

When it's broken, the piñata releases a bounty of delicious fruits, sweets, nuts and toys.

The children scrabble to claim as many goodies as possible.

Wreaths Got Pagan Start

During this holiday season, a wide variety of colorful wreaths deck the doorways of homes in this community.

The use of wreaths at holiday time stems from the customs of Advent season — the four Sundays before Christmas. Traditionally, Advent wreaths are made of evergreens, trimmed with ribbons, and hold four candles to be lit during the Sundays of Advent.

The wreath, which has no beginning or end, represents eternity, and the evergreens symbolize growth and life, according to the editors of the New Book of Knowledge.

Like many other Christian holiday customs, the Advent wreath originated in pagan ceremonies.

During the dark days of the winter solstice, the sun-worshippers of northern Europe sought to please their absent god, the sun, and persuade him to return, by using a wheel trimmed with greenery.

The wreath was made of an actual wheel, taken from a cart and wrapped in greens. Lights, too, were added.

Tiny Treasure Hunt

The simplest searching game is one in which one person leaves the room while another hides a small object that has been agreed upon beforehand — a small package, some wrapped Christmas candy.

When "it" comes back, he hunts for the object and the other person indicates that he is near it by clapping loudly or saying, "You're warm."

When "it" moves away from the object, the other person claps softly or says, "You're getting cold."

Rylstone

(By Mrs. Ellis Jones)

Ten girls, members of the "Woolly Lambs", Rylstone 4-H Club, have finished their course on "working with wool" and attended Achievement Day along with their leaders, Mrs. Doug. Brunton and Mrs. Alice Brunton, at Madoc, on Saturday.

Nancy Gray and Lynne Spencer of Peterborough spent the weekend with their parents here.

Mrs. Eldon Anderson and son David, visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Menzies in Havelock, on Sunday.

Kathy Thomson spent the weekend in Ottawa with her friend, Janice Black, and visited her brother, Tom Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Finch and Charlotte of Marmora were Sunday guests of his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Gray, Dennis Jr., and Darren.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Anderson spent Thursday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart visited her mother, Mrs. John Rowe and Walter and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Rowe at Stanwood on Sunday.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spencer and family were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spencer and family, Rylstone; and Mr. and Mrs. Claire Lisle and family of Stanwood.

Denise and Nancy Irwin of Campbellford were weekend guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Reid of Peterborough and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reid of Springbrook visited their mother, Mrs. Essie Reid on Sunday.

Mrs. Ted Grills and little daughter Gena, of English Line, spent an afternoon recently with her mother, Mrs. Fred Petherick.

A magical season full of dreams come true . . . that's what Christmas is. We wish you much joy.

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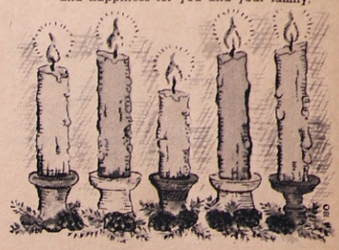
CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

May the season shine with warmth, peace and happiness for you and your family.



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Christmas Greetings

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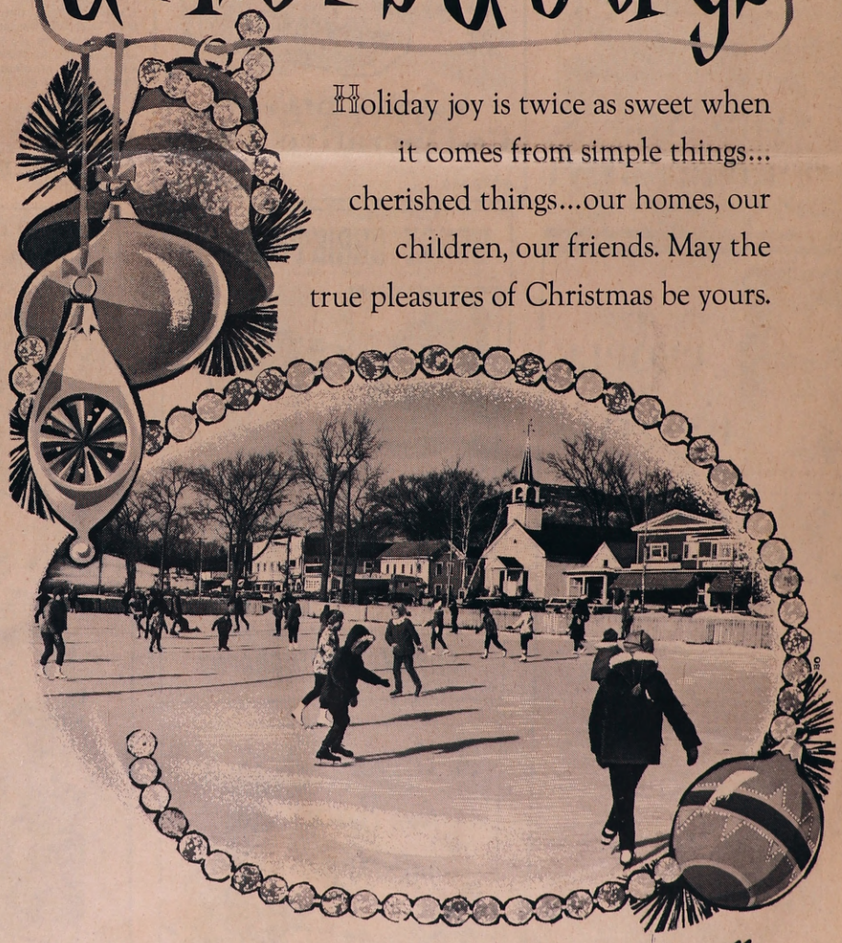

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The Stirling News-Argus

— SECOND SECTION —

HASTI-AGRI-GRAM

By W. D. Tipper
Agricultural Representative

The end of the year is the festive season for all people. At the same time it is the season of stock taking of work and business. This applies to farm operations because they truly are a business.

With special committees and task force reports looking at special problems, we in the producer part of the agricultural industry have the constant problem of sorting out all the things that are being said and done. By we, I mean the industrial farmer, the farm organization, the county staff. One thing is certain and that is that farm business has to gear its operation in the same way as other comparable businesses in the economy.

It would take too long to outline all the things that we have to consider, but right now I would like to mention three points of concern that I picked out at random.

The first point that I would like to mention is the simplest way the farmer can get into detailed business accounting. This, of course, is farm records. I have asked Wayne Martin, Associate Agricultural Representative, to describe this system. He writes as follows:

"With the festive holiday season here, we probably are not thinking of income tax, farm records, and management problems as much as we will be in March. However, for most people, the beginning of the year is the easiest time to think of a farm record system.

Canfarm is the name of a national monthly mail-in record system for farmers. Farm business transactions are recorded and sent in on a monthly basis, and a summary is returned each month. By providing a continuous up-to-date analysis of the farm business operation, more meaningful farm management decisions can be made. In addition, income tax information is also available. Canfarm features a current inventory control, and the summaries supply the information requested by many bank managers.

If you are interested in obtaining more information on the Canfarm Farm Record and Management system, please phone the Stirling Office or the Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food, 395-3393 by Friday, January 8, 1971."

The second point that I think of and just to be a little different, is the question of safety. One of the simplest things we can do in the farm business is to wear some form of safety hat or helmet. These are available from many sources including the Farm Safety Committee of the Hastings Farm Service Club. Your Safety Committee suggests two kinds that they keep at the office in Stirling.

The last category, but not least, is soil pollution—like both water and air, soil is needed for humans to live. It is from soil that most of our food comes. We get into grouble when we allow soil to receive certain chemical compounds due to improper use. The compounds that don't breek down are the serious ones. They have a hydro-carbon base such as does D.D.T. As a result, D.D.T. has been banned. There are three main soil factors where pollution is the problem. First, where the soil holds material and the plant picks it up. Secondly, where pollutants are carried by soil moisture to water streams. Finally, direct erosion where vast amounts of soil containing chemical are washed into our watercourses.

AFTER ALL THIS YOU WOULD THINK THE STATE OF POLLUTION IN THE WORLD IS TERRIBLE, DON'T WORRY. IT HAS TAKEN 10,000 YEARS TO PERFECT POLLUTION. DO YOU THINK IT CAN DISAPPEAR OVER NIGHT?

If young people can think through a problem this way and still end up on a note of hope for the world around them, then we as adults need to take the same positive approach. In our junior work in Hastings County we are trying to develop a program that meets the needs of the times and many important adjustments with the times. This program is specifically aimed at rural youth, not just rural farm youth. This recognizes the changes that have occurred in the rural community. After all, a community is only an area or place where we live, it doesn't specify their trade or profession.

Hastings' rural youth program will in the future, continue to fill three general categories:

(a) 4-H Homemaking, under the direction of our Home Economist, Miss Elaine Bateman.

(b) 4-H Agricultural and Community Clubs under the direction of Ray Pender, our Extension Assistant.

(c) Junior Farmer Club, a safe operating senior group, with Wayne Martin, Associate Agricultural Representative as resource leader.

The rural youth programs will succeed if it meets the needs of young people. It has a flexible program that can include the wishes and interests of a majority. It is the age-old problem of parents helping their young people in being involved in the activities of their own age group. We perhaps need a slogan; not just for youth, but for all people, that says: "Don't pass the buck, get involved, make our country better." Can you write such a slogan?

Sidney township appointments

Appointments were made last Tuesday night at the final meeting of the Sidney Township 1968-1970 council.

These appointments included:

— Reeve Jack M. Bush and Ernest J. Kells to continue on the Belleville Suburban Planning Board.

— Councillors Glen Meyers and Hadley Richardson join Robert Laugh, Winfield Harder and councillor Reg. McCurdy on the Community Centre Board.

— Deputy Reeve Gordon Wilman appointed to the Moira River Conservation Authority.

— Reeve Bush continuing as representative to the Lower Trent River Conservation Authority.

— Deputy Reeve Wilman, Mrs. Madeline Kotek, Mrs. Anne Muskiluke and Ivan Lockhart continue on the Sidney Township Board.

In October, council learned of a proposed road-naming petition to be submitted by D. J. Hornik of R.R. 5, Belleville. This petition was submitted and accepted. Council approved the name of Huntingwood Drive for the unnamed road running through lots 33 and 34 of concession four and lots 33 and 32 of concession three.

Council authorized a grant of $1,500 to the RCAF Memorial Fund, for the planned Trenton memorial.

As Animal Patrol Officer, Do: Tucker of 343 Front St., Stirling, unwrapped 1,100 new 1971 dog tags for immediate distribution.

The tags will sell for regular fees of $2 male and spayed female and $6 for female dogs until Sept. 1, 1971. At that time a $1 tardy fee will be applied.

THE VILLAGE OF STIRLING

PROCLAMATION
BOXING DAY

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26TH, 1970

I hereby proclaim SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26th, 1970 (Boxing Day) as a Public Holiday for the Village of Stirling and would respectfully request that it be observed as such by all citizens as far as possible.

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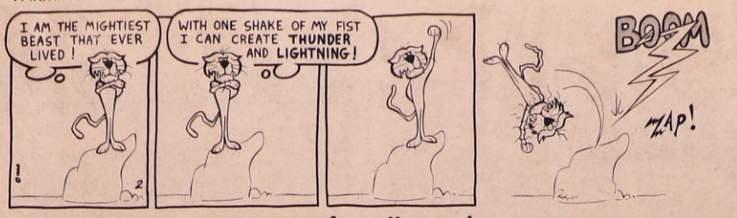

Excerpt from Hansard

Hon. George Hees (Prince Edward-Hastings): Mr. Speaker, may I direct a question to the Minister of National Defence and welcome him back to the House after his trip to attend the NATO meetings and visit our forces in Europe.

Some hon. Members: Hear, hear!

Mr. Hees: Smile, dear, smile. Could he advise the House of the reaction of the members of the NATO Council to the gratuitous advice given to the council by the new boy regarding the future operations of NATO—

Mr. Speaker: Order, please, the hon. member knows that the question cannot be asked in those terms. If he would like to ask the question in terms that are acceptable to the Chair, perhaps he could proceed.

Mr. Hees: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Could the minister advise the House as to what the reaction of the NATO Council to the advice which the minister gave the other members regarding the future operations of NATO, particularly in view of the fact that the government he represents has just withdrawn half its forces which had been committed to that body?

Hon. Donald S. Macdonald (Minister of National Defence): Mr. Speaker, I think it is fair to say that the comments which we made at that time about the A.D. 70's study, which is the context in which the remarks were made, were agreed to be just under the circumstances and were well taken.

Mr. Hees: Could the minister advise the House if the reaction of the members of the NATO Council to the minister's precocious pomposity was the same acute nausea which was experienced by this country?

Mr. Speaker: Order, please. The right hon. member for Prince Albert.

Christmas Peace

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A FORUM ABOUT MATURE WOMEN

Borrowing Trouble

Dear Margaret Brookfield:

My younger brother, who's employed by a big accounting firm, has been "borrowing" money from his company to pay off some gambling debts. He refers to this as a "temporary loan" and says his company won't miss the money for a while. Even if he returns it – as he says he will – I still think he's committing a crime. He says he isn't. What to you think?

H.T. Easton, Mass.

Dear H.T.:

Some people, who wouldn't dream of stealing from another person, seem to think it's perfectly all right when a large corporation is involved. It isn't, of course. Although your kid brother is trying to make embezzling sound like good, clean fun, the only person he's kidding is himself. And he may find himself put behind bars if he dosen't straighten things out right away.

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Fighting the Blues

Dear Margaret Brookfield:

My wife, who is 52, has been sitting around the house lately moping a lot, neglecting herself and her housework more and more. In her younger days she had enough get-up-and-go for two people. Now she hardly answers me when I talk to her. What makes her behave this way?

F.B., Brighton, Colo.

Dear F.B.:

People are generally more depressed in winter than in summer because they spend more time indoors and have less physical activity. This is known as the "winter blues." But in some situations, the physical and psychological causes of the blues may go much deeper. Since your wife is at an age when her body chemistry and her hormonal level have been changing, you might get her to a doctor for a complete physical checkup. He can best determine whether the reasons in her case are physical and whether hormone replacement therapy or another form of treatment is indicated. The important thing is to see that she gets some kind of help soon. Doctors say the more severe the depression, the more difficult it may be to snap back. So have your wife get that checkup without delay.

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Unaccustomed as I Am

Dear Margaret Brookfield:

I've been asked to give a talk at our women's club and am nervous about it. I've never done any public speaking before. Are there any pointers you can suggest? I may speak on any subject I wish.

N.N., Tacoma, Wash.

Dear N.N.:

Choose a subject you know something about, are interested in, and on which you can speak with warmth and ease. Don't write out and memorize your speech. Instead, prepare an outline for it by setting down the points you wish to make in an orderly fashion. Transfer this outline to 3 x 5 inch cards. (you can glance at them quickly if you find yourself temporarily speechless.) Pick out a friendly face from the audience and talk to that person, or look for people you know. They're sure to respond with expressions of interest and encouragement. Also, speak up loud and clear, so people won't have to strain to hear you. Last but not least, enjoy yourself. If you do, your audience will too.

Have you a problem as a mature woman, or with one? For advice and help, write to Margaret Brookfield, Information Centre on the Mature Woman, 3 West 57th Street, New York, N.Y. 10019.

GREETINGS

To all the citizens of Sidney Township, I your reeve, would like to again take this Opportunity of expressing to you a Very Merry Christmas and a most Happy and Prosperous New Year.

1970 has been a very important year in the history of our township. Much progress has been made towards area service and plans for the future. I have been very proud of my council and officals whom have all proven to be dedicated people trying to serve the needs of our growing municipalities. If at any time I can be of service call 392-2473 or 395-3383.

I also want to thank all the people who supported me at the time of election. A special thanks go to the many people who worked on my behalf.

May your door be opened wide
To all the joys of Christmastide
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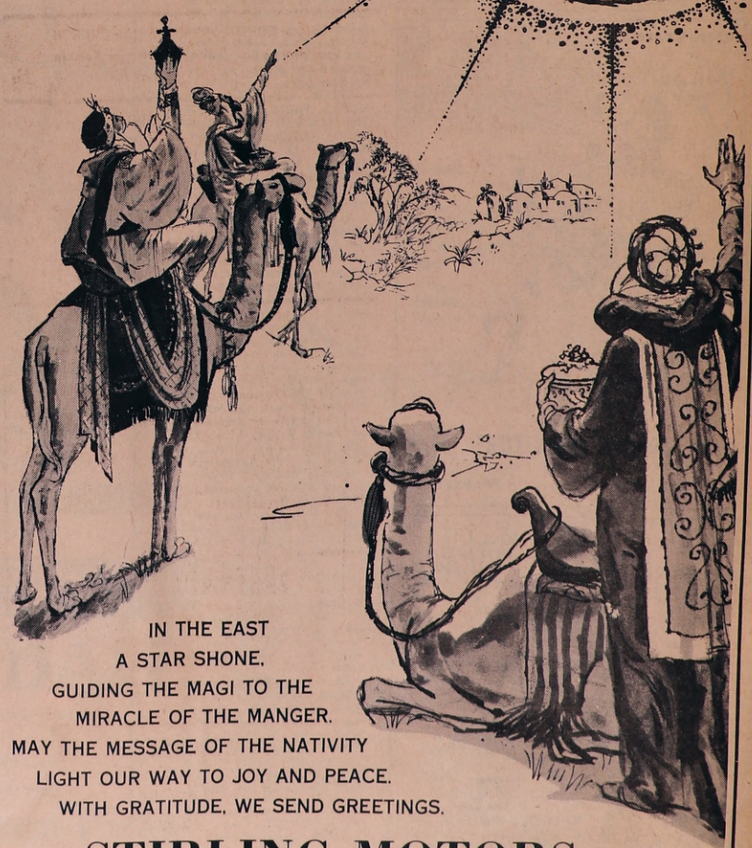

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CHRISTMAS CANTATA, While Shepherds Watched, will be presented at the Free Methodist church, Frankford, on Sunday, Dec. 27, at 7:30 p.m. Everyone welcome. 49-1

COMING EVENTS

CANDLELIGHT SERVICE, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, West Huntingdon. Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, at 8 o'clock. Special Christmas music. 47-3

COME ONE, COME ALL TO FAMILY NIGHT. Films, Euchre, Dance. FREE fun for all, at the I.O.O.F. Temple, Charlotte St., Stirling on Wednesday, Dec. 30 at 8:00 p.m. Members please bring lunch. 47-3

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE, St. Paul's United Church, Stirling at 8:00 p.m. Nursery provided. Come and celebrate His birth with us. 48-2

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Heath, R. R. 2, Stirling, wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Judy Dianne, to Gary Ernest Reid, R. R. 2, Stirling. Wedding will take place on Saturday, Jan. 30, 1971 at 12 o'clock noon in the Gospel Hall, Edward St., Stirling. 49-1

CARD OF THANKS

MANY THANKS TO RELATIVES, friends and neighbors, for all their help, flowers, gifts, cards calls, and get well wishes, while I was in Belleville Hospital, and since returning home. A Special Thanks to Rev. Cox, Drs. Kelly, Briggs, and Mathieson. To Bethel U.C.W. and Laurel Rebekah Lodge No. 211 for the lovely plants. Thanks Again. Joyce Clancy. 49-1

I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS my sincere thanks to Drs. Simurth, Beamer and Du for their special care during the past four months at Kingston General Hospital and Bawden Wing. Special thanks to Father J. McGarvey for his many friendly visits and Fathers Price and Boyle and the weekly visits of Legion of Mary and the Salvation Army. Many thanks to all who so kindly sent cards and letters, treats and gifts and thanks to the CWL, Stirling for the Mexican Chinese Garden. May God Bless You All. Mrs. John Ryan. 49-1

CARDS OF THANKS

I WOULD LIKE TO SAY Thank you to all my friends and neighbors who remembered me with cards and visits during my stay in Belleville General Hospital and Toronto Western Hospital. A special thanks to Dr. R. Miranda, Dr. B. Cronk and nurses of the seventh floor in Belleville and also the doctors and nurses in Toronto. Also thanks to Rev. B. Small and Rev. W. Cox for their visits and prayers and the Bethel U.C.W. for their lovely plant. Again thank you. Theodore Cooney. 49-1

AT HOME

MR. AND MRS. STEWART MICHELL, Wooler, will be at home to their relatives, friends and neighbors on Tuesday, Dec. 29, on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. Open House, 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. No gifts, please. 49-1

FOUND

KEY, found on the street in downtown Stirling. Owner may have same by picking it up at the News-Argus office and paying for this ad. 47-tf

DEATH NOTICE

FOX – Suddenly at the Belleville General Hospital on Tuesday, December 15th, 1970, Colin Anderson Fox of 10 Wright St., Stirling.

A Federal Public Servant employed at A.M.D.U. Canadian Forces Base, Trenton, Ontario.

Beloved son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Willaim L. Fox and cousin of Mrs. W. A. (Hilda) Hume, 176 Front St. N. Campbellford, Ontario.

Mr. Fox rested at the Hogle Funeral Home, 87 James St., Stirling. Service and committal in the Funeral Home, Friday, December 18th at 1:30 p.m. Rev. J. B. Small officiated. Entombment Stirling Cemetery Vault.

IN MEMORIAM

ANDREWS-In loving memory of my dear mother-in-law, Mabel Andrews, who passed away December 28, 1969.

In sorrow we saw you sinking
We watched you fade away,
Our hears were almost broken
You fought so hard to stay.
But when we saw you sleeping
So peacefully free from pain,
We could not wish you back
To suffer that again.

—Ever remembered by her daughter-in-law, Luella Andrews. 49-1

SALISBURY – In loving memory of a dear father, Mr. Edgar Salisbury, who passed away December 25th, 1964.

– Ever remembered by his daughter, Jean. 49-1

Greetings FOR CHRISTMAS

Wishing all our neighbors, relatives and friends a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and for your kindness to us all year.
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MRS. EDGAR MORROW AND MRS. J. B. THOMPSON wish our friends, neighbors and relatives a very Merry Christmas and a happy, healthy New Year.

Legend, Lore Of Holiday Takes Varied Forms

The belief that Santa has a reindeer-drawn sleigh and enters homes through the chimney may have come from Scandinavia. An old Norse legend about the goddess Hertha said that she rode on a reindeer's back.

Her appearance in the fireplace in mid-winter was thought to bring good luck to the home.

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"Silent Night, Holy Night" was written in 1818 by a village priest in Hallein, Austria. Father Joseph Mohr wrote the words, to an accompaniment created by his organist, Franz Gruber.

Legend has it that the church organ was out of order — damaged by mice — and so "Silent Night" was first sung to a guitar accompaniment.

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Who invented that popular holiday beverage, eggnog? It has been part of the festivities for so many years that nobody really knows its origin.

One possibility is that eggnog came from the Old English hot drink, sack-posset, which was also made of eggs, milk, nutmeg and sugar.

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Among the earliest Christmas tree ornaments were some that resembled the sun, stars and moon, or animals.

Using signs of nature as decorations can be traced back to the feasts of the winter equinox, when sun-worshipping pagans hung similar trinkets on trees.

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"The cattle were lowing," says the carol, "Away in a Manger," and Nativity paintings often show the animals of the manger.

Appropriately, tradition says that cattle and other domestic animals should have a special feast on Christmas Eve. It's legendary, too, that cattle are given the power of speech for a few moments at this time.

Mistletoe, said to hold a license for kissing, was renowned in ancient times for many mystical powers. Because of its pagan associations, it was long forbidden in churches.

A German legend held that, if a sprig of mistletoe was carried into an old house, the ghosts of the house would appear and answer questions.

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Dec. 27th 11:15 a.m. – Patronal Festival Service Nursery

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1:30 p.m. – Sunday School
SPRING BROOK:
10:00 a.m. – Worship Service
10:00 a.m. – Sunday School
BETHEL:
11:15 a.m. – Worship Service
10.00 a.m. – Sunday School

GRACE CHAPEL
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11:00 a.m. – Worship Service
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Local and Personal

Supper visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clancy, Stirling, on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. James McIntosh and family, Oshawa, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Phillips, Belleville, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dafoe and family, Belleville. Miss Esther Draper, Belleville, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gruntz and family, Foxboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Dafoe and family, Stirling, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Clancy and family.

Evan Rodgers, son of Reeve and Mrs. Donald Rodgers, Stirling, underwent an appendectomy in Belleville Hospital Saturday night.

Dec. 20th. was the occasion of a festive gathering of patients, relatives, and staff of Stirling Towers Nursing Home. Christmas Carols were sung by the staff with the assistance of the patients. A social hour was then enjoyed by all, aided by the serving of delicious cakes and cookies with tea and coffee. The festive spirit was futher enhanced by the unexpected arrival of the United Church Hi-C group who entertained the patients to more Carols and presented their gift of two Christmas Trees suitably decorated.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cotter, owners, were present for the occasion and presented each patient with a small gift.

Stirling Towers has also been pleasantly entertained during the past two weeks by various Church groups both children and adults.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McIntosh of Oshawa were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cooke on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barnard, Ricky and Margie were Sunday supper guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cooke.

Mount Pleasant

(by Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

Mr. Raymond McConnell underwent surgery in Belleville General Hospital on Monday, Dec. 14.

Rawdon A.O.T.S. Men's Club sponsored their annual ladies night banquet in the church hall on Thursday evening. The Hoards U.C.W. catered.

On Monday, December 14. Mrs. Garth Joslin, president of the U.C.W., attended the Auxiliary meeting at Hasting's Manor, Belleville. Mrs. Percy MacMullen accompanied Mrs. Joslin and spent the afternoon visiting friends there.

On Saturday evening, Dec. 12th, Mrs. Will McAdam entertained 15 relatives in honor of her niece Miss Nancy Pollock, a December bride-to-be. The co-hostesses were Mrs. Percy Reid and Mrs. Harry McAdam. Mrs. Don Pettey. Miss Judy McAdam and Mrs. Harry McAdam were in charge of the contests. The address was read by Mrs. Ray Moran. Frankford and Nancy was presented with an arrey of miscellaneous gifts for which she expressed gracious thanks.

The Sunday School sponsored a Christmas program at the church on Sunday evening, December 13th. The nativity scene was placed at the front with greenery and coal oil lamps in the windows. Mrs. Mac Sharp, as organist, and Miss Linda Potts, pianist, furnished Christmas music as a prelude to the service.

Rev. W. C. Cox gave the opening worship and the Sunday School superintendent, Howard Jeffs welcomed everyone.

The kindergarten class presented a Christmas acrostic followed by a play entitled The Answer is Christmas. Twenty-five people presented this drama in costume and the Junior choir provided background music with the singing of carols.

The nativity story was read at the close of the play. The offering was gathered by Michael Bailey and Douglas Couch and dedicated by Glen Hubel. This Christmas service closed with the benediction.

Eight couples and three young men gathered at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman McConnell. Front Street, Stirling on Tuesday evening, December 15th. These nineteen people represented the Mount Pleasant Community.

Mrs. Frank Spencer was Master of Ceremonies and Mrs. Harry McAdam read an appreciative address to Norman, Viola and son, Keith.

They were the recipients of a white floor lamp and Keith received a cuff link and bar pin set.

The presentations were made by Herbert Smith, Frank Spencer, Kenneth Weaver, Gordon Hoard, and Gordon Spencer on behalf of all the Mount Pleasant people.

The recipient voiced thanks for the gifts and hoped their friends would drop in to chat awhile. At the close the ladies served refreshments and a social hour followed.

On Saturday evening Dec. 19th the McAdam families attended the wedding of Miss Nancy Pollock and John Turner in Burnbrae Presbyterian Church and the reception in the church parlours.

On Saturday afternoon, Dec. 19th, the Potts families attended the wedding of Eleanor Irene Shortt and Antonius Johannes Mecking in St James the Minor Church, Stirling.

The heavy fall of snow in this area last week filled the roads and laneways. There was no rural mail on Thursday, December 17th.

Springbrook

(By Mrs. Malcolm Mason)

Mrs. George Williams attended the four-day convention of the National Farmers Union in Winnipeg. On Wednesday evening, Mrs. Williams was a dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Turner, St. Boniface, Man.

Rawdon volunteer fire department held its annual Christmas party at the fire hall on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Roberts and family, Belleville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Preston on Sunday.

The C.G.I.T. group held its annual Vesper Service on Sunday evening, assisted by Rev. W. Cox. Mrs. Clarence Thompson, leader of the group, presided at the organ.

Mrs. Clarence Sutherland, Stirling, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. George Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Anderson, Campbellford, visited Mrs. Fred McKeown on Monday.

The W. I. held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Cassidy on Wednesday.

Spring Brook Women's Institute canvass for the Blind amounted to $134.15, up from last year. The committee in charge expresses thanks to the canvassers and to those who made contributions.

Wellman's

(By Mrs. Victor Graham)

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McIntosh and family of Oshawa were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Clancy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Maitmend of Port Hope were dinner guests on Saturday of Mrs. Charles Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Althouse of Peterborough called on Mrs. Charles Dunham on Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Seeley, Carol and Catherine.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jody Sager on the birth of a daughter, Dec. 18.

Rev. and Mrs. W. Cox, Craig and Shawn, were supper guests on Wednesday with Mrs. Victor Graham and Eleanor.

Friends at Wellman's were sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Russell Johnson on Sunday. We extend our sympathy to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Maybee of Toronto visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Everett Maybee.

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